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# Burpee's Annual



BURPEE'S  
STRINGLESS  
GREEN  
POD

THE PLAIN  
TRUTH ABOUT  
**SEEDS** 1920  
THAT GROW



BURPEE'S  
MATCHLESS TOMATO

**W. Atlee Burpee Co.,**  
Seed Growers Philadelphia.

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# Burpee's Fordhook Farms

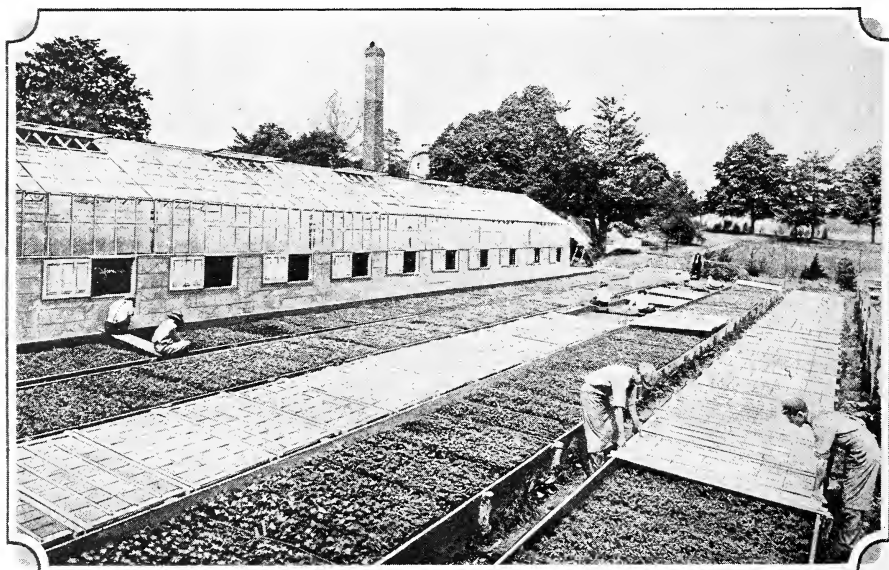
The Largest and Most Complete Trial Grounds in America.

At Fordhook practically every kind of Seed from all parts of the world is tested, but only the best is offered to you. More than twenty-two thousand Trials are conducted each year. First the vitality of the seed is tested under glass, and then the purity is determined in the open Trial Grounds. All seed sold by Burpee is tested twice at Fordhook.

By single plant selection and by cross fertilization we aim each year to produce seed better than the past. By hybridization and selection new and improved types are created.

For forty-four years we have labored continuously in order that we might supply the Burpee customers the best seed it is possible to produce. The world-wide reputation of the House of Burpee is built upon the quality of its Seeds.

**BURPEE'S SEEDS GROW!**



COLD FRAMES AND GREENHOUSES AT FORDHOOK

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## TO OUR FRIENDS, OUR CUSTOMERS:

There is almost a famine throughout the world. Revolution and anarchy are prevailing in parts of Europe because people are starving to death.

Food will still be shipped to Europe, and we must produce more food. Every basket of vegetables out of our gardens increases the food supply of the world. It releases pressure somewhere else, and at the same time it helps to reduce the high cost of living.

The high cost of living is the most dangerous thing in the world to-day. There is only one way to make a permanent reduction in the cost of living and that is to increase production. We cannot very well make our own clothes, but we can grow vegetable food in our back yards.

Many gardeners are doing their utmost to increase the production of food, and there are many others who would now plant a vegetable garden for the first time if they felt they knew how. Will you help your neighbor with a word or two of advice? A word of encouragement from you may go a long way toward starting a food factory in the back yard of your neighbor.

Burpee will be glad to help you or any neighbor of yours to increase the production of food. We have made a study of this subject and have prepared a number of special leaflets which will help you to get the best results from your garden. Any of the Burpee cultural leaflets will be mailed to you free.

Burpee is prepared to serve you with the best seeds that grow and to render you real service with garden advice.

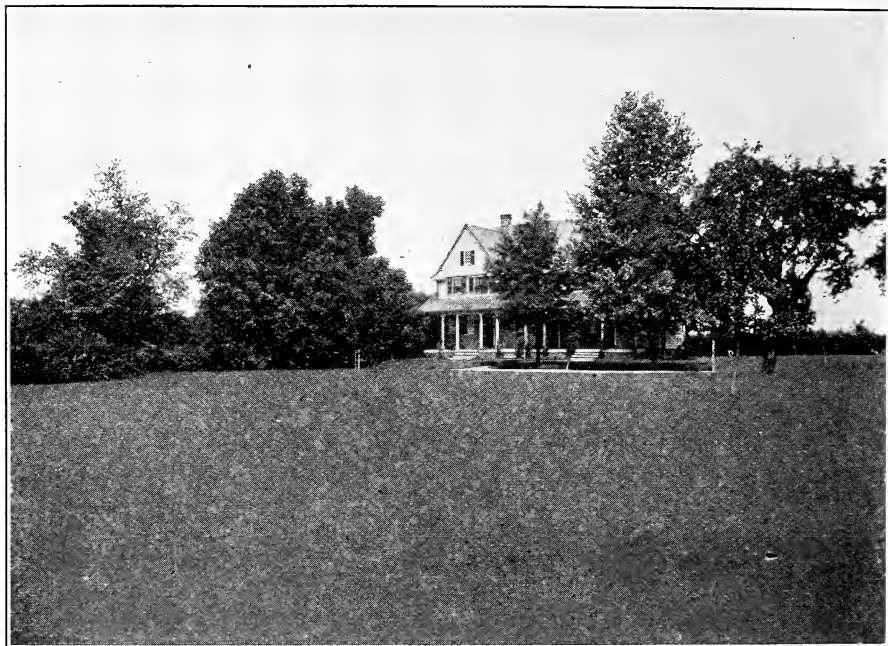
Yours faithfully,

A large, elegant handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "W. Atlee Burpee". The signature is written in dark ink and is positioned below the typed name "W. Atlee Burpee".

January 1, 1920

# BURPEE'S LAWN GRASS MIXTURES

Extra Select Seed for Special Purposes



## 6145 Burpee's "Fordhook Finest" Lawn Grass

We pride ourselves on FORDHOOK FINEST grass mixture, which, from yearly comparative trials at FORDHOOK FARMS, we know is unsurpassed for first-class and permanent results. We use only the very finest varieties of the most suitable grasses for lawn making.

The marked superiority of FORDHOOK FINEST LAWN GRASS was attested by the **Grand Prize** at St. LOUIS WORLD'S FAIR awarded to us for lawns. We were awarded also the **only Gold Medal** for lawns at THE LEWIS & CLARK EXPOSITION, Portland, Oregon. These were the highest awards and obtained by no other American seedsmen. The seed from which these lawns were produced was exactly the same quality as we supply regularly to all customers.

Thousands of the finest lawns in America are grown from FORDHOOK FINEST MIXTURE and we have many letters of appreciation from pleased customers.

**FORDHOOK FINEST** contains a well-balanced blend of various American and foreign fine-bladed and deeply rooting varieties, which have been proved by us to produce the best results under the varied conditions as to soils and climate met with in America. This special mixture will give a green, smooth, velvety sod with a thick bottom and free from such varieties of common grasses as produce clumps. It is free of all chaff. One pound of seed is sufficient to sow a plot 20 x 20 feet (or 400 square feet). Eighty lbs. per acre is sufficient for careful seeding, but it is much better to use 100 lbs. per acre where it is desired to have a good close turf from the start.

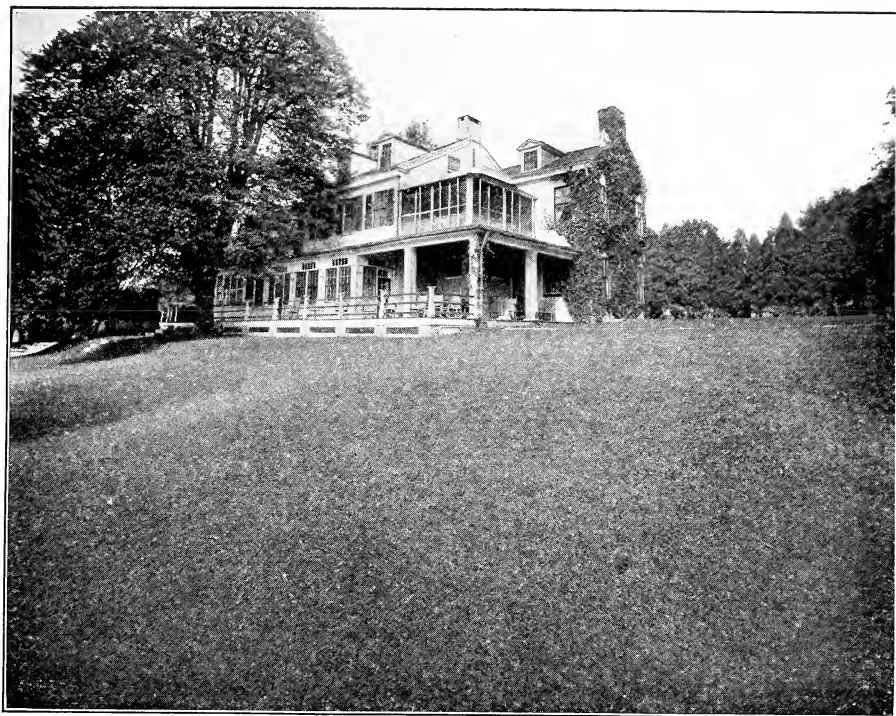
**Pound Packages**, with full directions, at **60 cts. each**; **5 lbs. \$2.75**, postpaid.

Shipped by express or freight at purchaser's expense: 5 lbs. at **45 cts. per lb.**; 10 lbs. or more at **42 cts. per lb.**; 100 lbs. at **38 cts. per lb.** (25 lbs. or more supplied at this price).

## 6149 Burpee's Shady Nook Lawn Grass Mixture

Many of our customers having fine shade trees on their lawns or shaded corners receiving but little sunlight have written regarding the difficulty of securing a good growth of grass under the trees or in other heavily shaded locations. This mixture is composed entirely of choice clean seed of the finest and most costly grasses, which have been found to thrive well in partly shaded locations, forming a close, thin-bladed turf. It is all clean, heavy seed, free from chaff, and will give the best results with a minimum quantity of seed.

**Lb. 70 cts.**; **5 lbs. \$3.00**, postpaid. By express or freight, 10 lbs. or more, at **50 cts. per lb.**



## 6144 Burpee's Special Terrace Sod Grass Mixture

The terrace is oftentimes a source of a great deal of worry and trouble. This is largely due to the fact that the right grasses are not used in the making of the terrace sod. We have prepared a Special Mixture containing only those grasses that are best adapted to embankments and terraces. These grasses are all deep rooted or have strong spreading roots that hold the soil firmly and prevent washing away during heavy rains. Burpee's Special Terrace Mixture will produce a rich, green, velvety sod, and will retain its emerald-green appearance throughout the entire season. The varieties are long lived and hardy, making a permanent growth.  
**Lb. 70 cts.; 5 lbs. \$3.00, postpaid.** By express or freight, 10 lbs. or more, at **50 cts. per lb.**

## 6146 Burpee's Sunny South Lawn Grass Mixture

In the South and in other dry locations the use of ordinary lawn grass seed does not always produce satisfactory lawns. We have prepared a Special Mixture that is especially suited for these hot dry locations, and with care and attention and regular watering, Sunny South Mixture will produce satisfactory lawns under the most exacting conditions of weather and soil.  
**Lb. 60 cts.; 5 lbs. \$2.75, postpaid.** By express or freight, 10 lbs. or more, at **42 cts. per lb.**

## 6147 Burpee's Golf Link Mixture

This mixture is composed exclusively of fine-bladed grasses which will withstand frequent close cutting and tramping. It is free from weed seed and contains no white clover, the latter not being suitable for the closely cut golf lawn. It is very important that only grasses which fulfill all requirements for the golf course are used in this mixture and we have made a special study of this subject to make "Burpee's Golf Link Mixture" the standard.  
**Lb. 70 cts.; 5 lbs. \$3.00, postpaid.** By express or freight, 10 lbs. or more, at **50 cts. per lb.**

Lawns play an important part in beautifying the home grounds and deserve special attention. The lawn is a perennial feature, and once established, lasts almost indefinitely, if properly cared for. Success with it depends on four main factors: First: The right kind of seed. Second: Good seed. Third: Proper preparation. Fourth: Proper care.

The mixtures we offer have all been prepared according to formulas derived from yearly tests made in our trial grounds. The preparations for seeding and the care of the lawn are treated in detail in the revised edition of the Burpee Leaflet, "HOW TO ESTABLISH A LAWN." Ask for a free copy of it when you order.

For grass varieties, meadow and pasture mixtures, see page 98.

# Burpee Guarantee

We guarantee the vitality and purity of our seeds to the full amount of the purchase price. You can have your money back any time within the year if you are not satisfied with the results from Burpee's Seeds. Success in gardening or farming depends largely upon cultivation, soil, and climatic conditions, and it is also recognized that a mistake may be made and it is therefore mutually agreed that in no case shall W. Atlee Burpee Co. be liable for more than the amount actually paid for the seed.

We guarantee the safe arrival of your seeds, and we guarantee their quality. This is the double guarantee that protects all who purchase seeds from Burpee of Philadelphia.

## How to Order

Sign your full Name, Street Address, Post Office, County, and State on every letter you send us. Be sure to give the right catalog number. Always write plainly.

You run no risk in sending money with your order. You can inquire of any bank or trust company or of your neighbors as to our responsibility. Remit at our risk Post Office Money Order, Check, Draft, or Express Money Order. Use registered letter if you send Cash or Stamps.

## Seeds Delivered Free by Parcel Post

Wherever we offer seeds and bulbs at a price "Postpaid," we will deliver them to your door by mail with no extra charges for postage.

Where larger quantities are offered "By Express," we do not pay transportation charges. We will ship by freight or express collect, or, if you wish the order to go by parcel post, you must tell us so and include enough extra with your remittance to cover postage.

# Vegetable Gardening

Gardening is like a game—far more fascinating than golf. You can begin to-day to learn and you will find something new and more interesting each day of your life. And gardening is really easy if you start right. It goes without saying that, first of all, you must have good seeds. No gardener could succeed if his seeds failed to grow, or if they grew and proved not to be pure. If you buy seeds from Burpee of Philadelphia, you are reasonably sure to receive the best seeds that it has been possible to produce. But even the best seeds would fail unless given the proper attention, and it is just here that we want to be of help to you. It is our aim that in every neighborhood the best gardens shall be those grown from Burpee's seeds. Our interests are really mutual—your success is ours.

If you are a beginner in gardening, you will need the Burpee cultural leaflets. The Burpee leaflets are of service even to the most experienced gardener. It may be there is some new vegetable you would like to grow, but feel that you don't know how—we will gladly tell you how. The Burpee cultural leaflets give you garden information it has taken us more than forty years to accumulate. The leaflets on vegetable gardening are listed below; those on flower gardening on page 103. These cultural leaflets have been prepared to make it easy for you. Any of them will be mailed to you free.

## Burpee Cultural Leaflets—Vegetables

### SUGGESTIONS ON SEED SOWING

How to sow, when to sow, the care of seedlings, etc.

### SUMMER GARDENING

Companion cropping, succession planting, summer sowing.

### ROOT CROPS

How to grow the important Root Crops, such as Beets, Carrots, etc.

### ONIONS FROM SEED

The soil, sowing, cultivation, harvesting.

### HOW TO GROW POTATOES

Soil and preparation, manure, fertilizer, planting, etc.

### HORSE-RADISH, RHUBARB, AND SPINACH

How to grow them to perfection.

### HOW TO GROW PEAS

Manuring, sowing, succession planting, etc.

### HOW TO GROW GARDEN BEANS

The culture of Snap and Lima Beans.

### GREENS AND SALADS

Cultural directions for all the important vegetables of this class.

### HOW TO GROW CELERY

Starting the plants, culture, blanching, diseases, etc.

### CABBAGE AND CAULIFLOWER

Soil, culture, spring sowing, sowing for late use, etc.

### HOW TO MAKE AN ASPARAGUS BED

Planting roots, starting a bed from seeds, care, etc.

### MUSHROOM CULTURE

How to start a mushroom bed.

### HERBS: Their Uses and Cultivation

Soil, cultivation, harvesting, curing, etc.

### MELONS FOR ALL

Soil, location, fertilizer, sowing and care of muskmelons and watermelons.

### TOMATO CULTURE

Growing tomatoes in the family garden and for market.

### CUCUMBERS, SQUASHES, AND PUMPKINS

Soil, cultivation, gathering, etc.

### HOW TO GROW EARLY VEGETABLE PLANTS

Soil, hotbed, cold-frame, starting the plants.

### INSECT PESTS AND PLANT DISEASES

How to identify and treat them.

### THE "HOME-HAMPER" OF CHOICE VEGETABLES

A story of how to market the surplus from the home garden.

### STORING OF VEGETABLES FOR WINTER USE

Hints on how to store vegetables successfully.



## The Burpee Trade Mark

is used throughout BURPEE'S ANNUAL to denote those varieties which were first introduced in America by Burpee.

### ☉ The Bull's Eye

is used to mark those varieties which we consider the best of their respective types. You cannot go wrong if you follow the Bull's Eye. But whatever variety you select from this catalog, you can rely upon obtaining the choicest strain that it has been possible to produce. Burpee's seeds are the best that grow.

# W. Atlee Burpee Co.

## Seed Growers Philadelphia

# Make Your Garden Work Three Seasons Out of Four

Many people think that seeds cannot be planted any other time than in April and May. This is far from true. The wide-awake gardener begins sowing as early in the spring as possible, and sows succession crops throughout the summer and until late in the fall. Succession crops are most important, since they provide fresh vegetables for fall and winter use. A cellar full of stored vegetables is a good investment. Grow all the vegetables your garden can produce. Eat them fresh, evaporate them, can them, store them, and be independent of high food prices. Keep BURPEE'S ANNUAL handy for reference throughout the year.

## When and What to Sow

The dates apply to the vicinity of Philadelphia and localities with similar weather conditions, where the first light fall frosts occur about the middle of October and severe frosts around the first of November. The outdoor sowing season begins late in March or early in April, depending on the condition of the ground.

### FEBRUARY 15

(in house or hot-bed)

Cabbage  
Cauliflower  
Celery  
Kohl-Rabi  
Lettuce  
Parsley  
Radish

### MARCH 1

(in house or hot-bed)

Cabbage  
Cauliflower  
Celery  
Kohl-Rabi  
Lettuce  
Parsley  
Radish

### MARCH 15

(in house or hot-bed)

Sweet Corn  
Cucumber  
Egg Plant  
Musk Melon  
Pepper  
Tomato

(in the cold-frame)

Beet  
Cabbage  
Carrot  
Cauliflower  
Celery  
Kohl-Rabi  
Lettuce  
Parsley  
Radish

### APRIL 1

(in house or hot-bed)

Cucumber  
Egg Plant  
Musk Melon  
Pepper  
Tomato

(in the open ground)

Asparagus  
Asparagus Roots  
Beet  
Brussels Sprouts  
Broccoli  
Carrot  
Celeriac  
Celery  
Chicory  
Corn Salad  
Cress  
Endive  
Kale  
Kohl-Rabi  
Leek  
Lettuce  
Mustard  
Onion  
Onion Sets  
Parsley  
Parsnip  
Early Peas  
Chinese Cabbage  
Rhubarb Roots  
Radish  
Salsify  
Sorrel  
Spinach  
Swiss Chard  
Turnip

### MAY 1

Asparagus  
Bean, Bush Snap  
Beet  
Brussels Sprouts  
Cabbage  
Carrot  
Cauliflower  
Celeriac  
Celery  
Sweet Corn  
Pop Corn  
Cress  
Endive  
Kale  
Kohl-Rabi  
Leek  
Lettuce  
Musk Melon  
Mustard  
Onion  
Parsley  
Parsnip  
Peas  
Potatoes  
Radish  
Salsify  
Sorrel  
Squash  
Swiss Chard  
Tomatoes

### MAY 15

Asparagus  
Bean, Bush  
Bean, Pole  
Lima Bean  
Beet  
Brussels Sprouts

# Every Month in the Garden

## MAY 15 (Continued)

Cabbage  
Carrot  
Cauliflower  
Celeriac  
Celery  
Chicory  
Sweet Corn  
Pop Corn  
Cucumber  
Endive  
Kale  
Kohl-Rabi  
Leek  
Lettuce  
Musk Melon  
Water Melon  
Onion  
Parsley  
Parsnip  
Peas  
Potatoes  
Summer Radish  
Salsify  
Squash  
Swiss Chard  
Tomato

## JUNE 1

Bean, Bush  
Bean, Pole  
Lima Bean  
Beet  
Brussels Sprouts  
Cabbage  
Carrot  
Cauliflower  
Celeriac  
Celery  
Witloof-Chicory  
Sweet Corn  
Pop Corn

## JUNE 1 (Continued)

Cucumber  
Endive  
Kale  
Kohl-Rabi  
Musk Melon  
Parsley  
Potatoes  
Squash  
Summer Radish  
Swiss Chard

## JUNE 15

Lima Bean  
Beet  
Brussels Sprouts  
Cabbage  
Carrot  
Cauliflower  
Sweet Corn  
Pop Corn  
Cucumber  
Endive  
Kale  
Kohl-Rabi  
Parsley  
Potatoes  
Summer Radish

## JULY 1

Beet  
Carrot  
Sweet Corn  
Pop Corn  
Cress  
Cucumber  
Endive  
Kale  
Kohl-Rabi  
Potatoes  
Summer Radish  
Winter Radish

## JULY 1 (Continued)

Ruta Baga  
Turnip  
  
JULY 15  
Bush Bean  
Beet  
Kale  
Kohl-Rabi  
Lettuce  
Mustard  
Summer Radish  
Ruta Baga  
Turnip

## AUGUST 1

Bean, Bush  
Chinese Cabbage  
Kale  
Mustard  
Summer Radish  
Spinach  
Turnip

## AUGUST 15

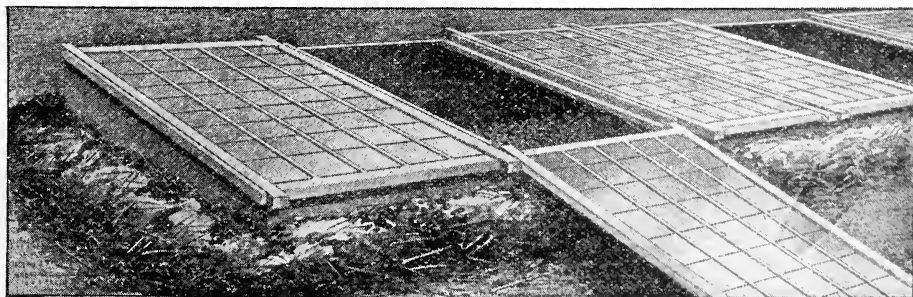
Chinese Cabbage  
Kale  
Mustard  
Summer Radish  
Spinach  
Turnip

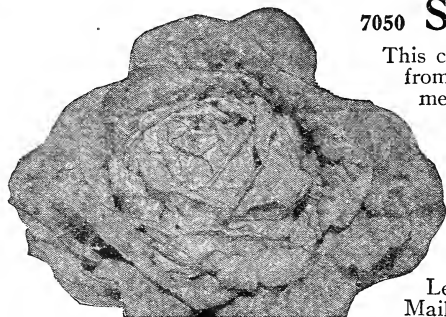
## SEPTEMBER 1

Radish  
Spinach

## OCTOBER

Asparagus Roots  
Rhubarb Roots  
Perennial Onion Sets  
Corn Salad  
Spinach





## 7050 Salad Collection 25 Cts.

This collection will furnish enough "greens" fresh from your own garden to give zest to many meals during the summer. The gardener with only a small plot should grow a Salad Collection.

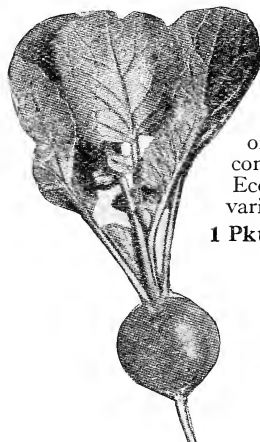
1 Pkt. each:

Endive, Green Curled  
Lettuce, Earliest Wayahead  
Parsley, Double Curled  
Swiss Chard, Large Ribbed White  
Mustard, Southern Giant Curled

Leaflet: "GREENS AND SALADS."

Mailed to any address for 25 cts.

## 7070 Economy Collection of Root Crops 25 Cts.



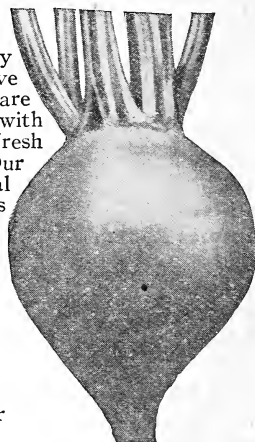
In the past American gardeners have not given proper consideration to the great food value of root crops. Every garden, large or small, should have some Root Vegetables. Root crops are a practical vegetable. They grow with only little attention and keep in good fresh condition over an unusually long period. Our Economy Collection is made up of the ideal varieties for the small garden and contains

1 Pkt. each:

Beet, Columbia  
Carrot, Danvers Half-Long  
Turnip, Purple-Top White Globe  
Radish, Vick's Scarlet Globe  
Parsnip, Hollow Crown

Leaflet: "ROOT CROPS."

We will mail this collection to your door for 25 cts.



## 7071 Food Value Collection of Root Crops \$1.00

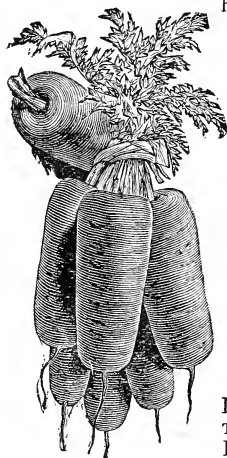
Root vegetables are becoming more popular each year, and the war has brought us to a keen realization of the necessity of storing for winter use. Root Crops are easily grown. They are practically free from diseases and little troubled by insect pests. Their food value is remarkably high. Their short growing season makes them particularly adapted for succession sowing after an extra-early crop, producing more per foot of row than any other class of vegetables.

1 Pkt. each: Beet, Burpee's Extra-Early. Carrot, Golden Ball. Celery, Giant Prague. Kohl-Rabi, Purple Vienna. Parsnip, Hollow Crown. Radish, Vick's Scarlet Globe. Radish, White Icicle. Radish, White Strassburg. Salsify, Sandwich Island. Turnip, Purple-Top White Globe. Ruta Baga, Burpee's Golden Neckless.

1/2 Oz. each: Beet, Detroit Dark Red. Carrot, Chantenay. Onion, Prizetaker. Onion, White Portugal.

Leaflets: "ROOT CROPS"; "STORING VEGETABLES FOR WINTER USE."

If bought separately, this assortment would cost \$1.75. Mailed to your address for \$1.00.





## "BURPEE'S SEEDS WIN"

Rumson, N. J., Oct. 2, 1919

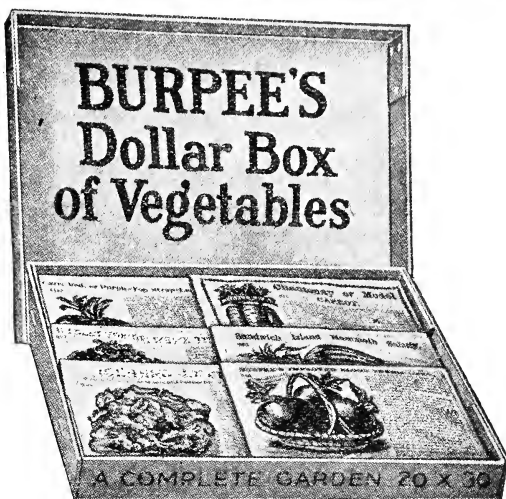
W. ATLEE BURPEE CO.,  
Seed Growers  
Philadelphia

Dear Sirs:

With your one dollar offer of seeds I won \$2.50 in Gold, the Blue Ribbon, and the second year pin. I am a member of the Girls' and Boys' Garden Club at Rumson. Age 11.

Yours Truly,

MASTER EDWIN MERIGOLD,  
Rumson, N. J.



## 7001 Burpee's Dollar Box of Vegetables

A Complete Garden, 20 x 30 Feet

BURPEE'S DOLLAR GARDEN COLLECTION		
NO.	NAME	SEEDS
1	SWISS CHARD	LUCULLUS
2	RADISH	SCARLET GLOBE
3	RADISH	WHITE ICICLE
4	LETTUCE	B. S. SIMPSON
5	LETTUCE	SALAMANDER
6	BEET	COLUMBIA
7	BEET	COLUMBIA
8	CARROT	CHANTENAY
9	CARROT	CHANTENAY
10	TURNIP	WHITE EGG
11	ONION	YELLOW GLOBE DANVERS
12	ONION	YELLOW GLOBE DANVERS
13	BEAN	STRINGLESS GREEN POD
14	BEAN	STRINGLESS GREEN POD
15	BEAN	BRITTLE WAX
16	BEAN	BRITTLE WAX
17	CUCUMBER	FORDHOOK WHITE SPINE
18	SWEET CORN	GOLDEN BANTAM
19	SWEET CORN	GOLDEN BANTAM

Greatly reduced in size

This is a splendid collection of vegetable seeds prepared for the busy man or woman who has but a small garden and wants to plant some easy-to-grow vegetables. The garden plan with instruction sheet packed with each collection will make the planting and care so simple that a child will succeed with it. The box contains an ideal selection of vegetables, which, in the vicinity of Philadelphia, can be sown any time up to June first. BURPEE'S DOLLAR BOX contains 1 pkt. each, except where stated otherwise.

Beet, Columbia. Carrot, Chantenay. Onion, Yellow Globe Danvers. Radish, Scarlet Globe. Radish, White Icicle. Turnip, White Egg. Bean, Burpee's Stringless Green-Pod (2 Pkts.). Bean, Burpee's Brittle Wax (2 Pkts.). Sweet Corn, Golden Bantam. Swiss Chard, Lucullus. Lettuce, Black-Seeded Simpson. Lettuce, Salamander. Parsley, Extra-Curled Dwarf. Cucumber, Fordhook White Spine.

Garden Plan and Instruction Sheet.

Leaflet: "SUGGESTIONS ON SEED SOWING."

Burpee's Dollar Box of Vegetables will be mailed complete to any address for \$1.00.

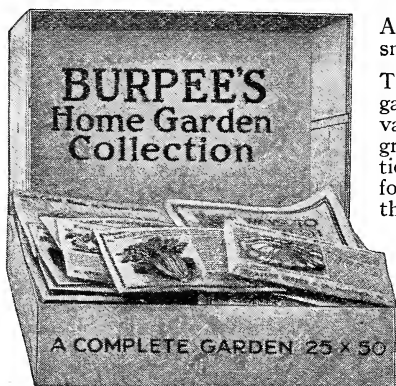


Fordhook Quantity Trials on Measured Plots

The plot in the foreground is typical of much of the experimental work done by W. ATLEE BURPEE Co. to put practical, usable information into the hands of its customers.

# 7002 Burpee's Home Garden Collection

Mailed to Your Address for \$2.00



A complete Vegetable Garden, 25 x 50 feet, for the small family.

This box contains enough seed to plant a complete garden—26 different varieties of vegetables. All varieties are carefully selected. We have been growing this garden in the "Burpee Demonstration Plot" on Fordhook Farms, Doylestown, Pa., for a number of years, and many visitors expressed the idea that this particular garden would just fill their need for the family table. The Garden Plan, with full instructions on the planting and care, is a sure guide to success. The box contains 1 Pkt. each, except where noted.

**Beet, Burpee's Extra-Early.**

**Beet, Detroit Dark Red**

**Beet, Columbia.**

**Carrot, Oxheart.**

**Carrot, Danvers Half-Long.**

**Onion, Red Wethersfield.**

**Parsnip, Hollow Crown.**

**Radish, Scarlet Turnip White-Tip.**

**Radish, White Icicle.**

**Salsify, Sandwich Island Mammoth.**

**Turnip, Purple Top White Globe.**

**Bean, Burpee's Stringless Green-Pod (2 pkts.).**

**Bean, Burpee's Kidney Wax.**

**Pole Lima Bean, Early Leviathan (2 pkts.).**

**Sweet Corn, Burpee's Golden Bantam.**

**Sweet Corn, Burpee's White Evergreen.**

**Swiss Chard, Large Ribbed White.**

**Cabbage, Burpee's Allhead Early.**

**Cabbage, Burpee's Surehead.**

**Lettuce, Burpee's Earliest Wayahead.**

**Lettuce, Mignonette.**

**Parsley, Extra Curled Dwarf.**

**Cucumber, Fordhook White Spine.**

**Squash, Early Yellow Bush.**

**Tomato, Chalk's Early Jewel.**

**Tomato, Burpee's Matchless.**

Garden Plan and Instruction Sheet.

Leaflet: "SUGGESTIONS ON SEED SOWING."

MRS. SCOTT'S COOK BOOK.

1920 Summer Planting	25 Feet	50 Feet	Scale Feet
1 TOMATO, CHALK'S JEWEL	May 10-20		
2 RADISH, SCARLET TURNIP WHITE TIP	April 1-15		
3 TURNIP, PURPLE TOP WHITE GLOBE	" 1-15		
4 BEET, BURPEE'S EXTRA-EARLY	" 1-15		
5 BEET, DETROIT DARK RED	" 1-15		
6 CARROT, OXHEART	" 1-15		
7 CARROT, OXHEART	" 1-15		
8 LETTUCE, MIGNONETTE	" 1-15		
9 LETTUCE, WAY-AHEAD	" 1-15		
10 RADISH, WHITE ICICLE	" 1-15		
11 CABBAGE, ALL-HEAD EARLY	" 1-15		
12 CABBAGE, SURE-HEAD	" 1-15		
13 SWISS CHARD, LARGE WHITE RIBBED	" 1-15 13 1/2 PARSLEY		
14 SALSIFY, SANDWICH ISLAND	" 1-15		
15 PARSNIP, HOLLOW CROWN	" 1-15		
16 ONION, RED WETHERSFIELD	" 1-15		
17 ONION, RED WETHERSFIELD	" 1-15		
18 CARROT, DANVERS HALF-LONG	May 1-15		
19 CARROT, DANVERS HALF-LONG	" 1-15		
20 BEET, COLUMBIA	" 1-15		
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# 7005 Suburban Garden Collection

By Parcel Post for \$5.00

A Complete Garden, 50 x 80 feet, for the Average Family

Our collection for the Suburban Garden is ideal. Forty varieties of 24 different vegetables with a carefully tried-out garden plan and instruction sheet. Everything you need for a continuous supply of fresh vegetables in an assortment of great variety. The box contains:

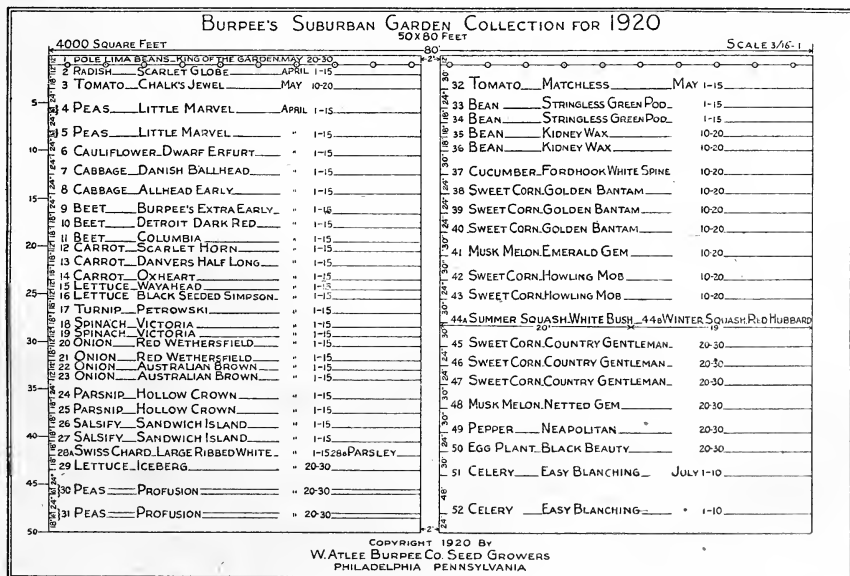
1 Pkt. Beet, Burpee's Extra-Early. 1 Pkt. Beet, Detroit Dark Red. 1 Pkt. Beet, Columbia. 1 Pkt. Carrot, Scarlet Horn. 1 Pkt. Carrot, Oxheart. 1 Pkt. Carrot, Danvers Half-Long. 2 Pkts. Onion, Red Wethersfield. 2 Pkts. Onion, Australian Brown. 2 Pkts. Parsnip, Hollow Crown. 1 Pkt. Radish, White Icicle. 1 Pkt. Radish, Scarlet Globe. 1 Oz. Salsify, Sandwich Island Mammoth. 1 Pkt. Turnip, Petrowski.

½ Lb. Bean, Burpee's Stringless Green-Pod. ½ Lb. Bean, Burpee's Kidney Wax. 2 Pkts. Pole Lima Bean, King of the Garden. 3 Pkts. Sweet Corn, Golden Bantam. 2 Pkts. Sweet Corn, Howling Mob. 2 Pkts. Sweet Corn, Country Gentleman. 1½ Lbs. Peas, Little Marvel. 1½ Lbs. Peas, Profusion.

1 Pkt. Swiss Chard, Large Ribbed White. 1 Pkt. Cabbage, Allhead Early. 1 Pkt. Cabbage, Danish Ballhead. 1 Pkt. Cauliflower, Early Dwarf Erfurt. 1 Pkt. Celery, Easy Blanching. 1 Pkt. Lettuce, Earliest Wayahead. 1 Pkt. Lettuce, Black-Seeded Simpson. 1 Pkt. Lettuce, Iceberg. 1 Pkt. Parsley, Extra Curled Dwarf. 1 Oz. Spinach, Victoria.

1 Pkt. Cucumber, Fordhook White Spine. 1 Pkt. Egg Plant, Black Beauty. 1 Pkt. Musk Melon, Notted Gem. 1 Pkt. Musk Melon, Emerald Gem. 1 Pkt. Pepper, Neapolitan. 1 Pkt. Squash, Early White Bush. 1 Pkt. Squash, Red Hubbard. 1 Pkt. Tomato, Chalk's Early Jewel. 1 Pkt. Tomato, Matchless.

Garden Plan and Instruction Sheet. Leaflets: "SUGGESTIONS ON SEED SOWING"; "SUMMER GARDENING"; "ROOT CROPS"; "GREENS AND SALADS"; "INSECT PESTS AND PLANT DISEASES"; "MRS. SCOTT'S COOK BOOK."



Greatly reduced in size

## 7010 Burpee's Country Garden Collection

A Complete Vegetable Garden, 100 x 100 feet,  
Delivered to Your Door for \$10.00.

This wonderful collection is truly the garden of plenty. The past season on Fordhook Farms this collection, planted to plan on a plot 100 by 100 feet, produced a continuous supply of good things that it would seem almost impossible to grow on a plot of that size. This collection is probably the most complete ever offered by any American seed house. It has been carefully tested out. A complete garden plan and instruction sheet especially prepared for this collection will guide the gardener to success.

It will meet the requirements for the larger suburban or country garden.

This remarkable collection contains the following:

- 1½ lbs. Bean, Stringless Green-Pod. ½ lb. Bean, Kidney Wax. ½ lb. Bean, Saddleback Wax. 2 lbs. Bush Lima, Burpee's Improved. ½ lb. Pole Bean, Horticultural. 1 lb. Pole Lima, Early Leviathan. 1 lb. Pole Lima, Burpee's Giant-Podded. ½ lb. Sweet Corn, Golden Bantam. ½ lb. Sweet Corn, Howling Mob. ½ lb. Sweet Corn, Burpee's White Evergreen. ½ lb. Sweet Corn, Country Gentleman. 1½ lbs. Peas, Despatch. 1½ lbs. Peas, Thomas Laxton. 1½ lbs. Peas, Alderman.
- ½ oz. Beet, Burpee's Extra-Early. ½ oz. Beet, Detroit Dark Red. 1 oz. Beet, Burpee's Improved Blood. ½ oz. Carrot, Scarlet Horn. ½ oz. Carrot, Chantenay. ½ oz. Carrot, Danvers Half-Long. 1 pkt. Kohl-Rabi, White Vienna. 1 pkt. Kohl-Rabi, Purple Vienna. ½ oz. Onion, Prize-Taker. ½ oz. Onion, Red Wethersfield. ½ oz. Onion, White Portugal. 2 ozs. Parsnip, Hollow Crown. 2 pkts. Radish, Scarlet Globe. 2 pkts. Radish, White Icicle. 1 oz. Salsify, Sandwich Island. 2 pkts. Turnip, Petrowski. 3 lbs. Onion Sets, Yellow.
- ½ oz. Swiss Chard, Large Ribbed White. 1 pkt. Brussels Sprouts, Danish Prize. 1 pkt. Cabbage, Jersey Wakefield. 1 pkt. Cabbage, Early Dwarf Flat Dutch. 1 pkt. Cabbage, Drumhead Savoy. ½ pkt. Cauliflower, Dry Weather. 1 pkt. Cauliflower, Early Dwarf Erfurt. 2 pkts. Celery, Easy Blanching. 2 pkts. Celery, Winter Queen. 1 pkt. Lettuce, Earliest Wayahead. 1 pkt. Lettuce, Mignonette. 1 pkt. Lettuce, Black-Seeded Simpson. 1 pkt. Lettuce, Iceberg. 1 pkt. Parsley, Extra Curled Dwarf. 2 ozs. Spinach, Victoria.
- 1 pkt. Cucumber, Early Green Prolific. 1 pkt. Cucumber, Fordhook White Spine. 1 pkt. Egg Plant, Black Beauty. 2 pkts. Musk Melon, Burpee's Fordhook. 2 pkts. Musk Melon, Golden Eagle. 1 pkt. Water Melon, Fordhook Early. 1 pkt. Okra, Perkins' Long Pod. 1 pkt. Pepper, Ruby King. 1 pkt. Pumpkin, Small Sugar. 1 pkt. Squash, Early White Bush. 1 pkt. Squash, Giant Summer Crookneck. 1 pkt. Squash, Red Hubbard. 1 pkt. Tomato, Chalk's Early Jewel. 1 pkt. Tomato, Burpee's Matchless. 1 pkt. Tomato, Yellow Plum.

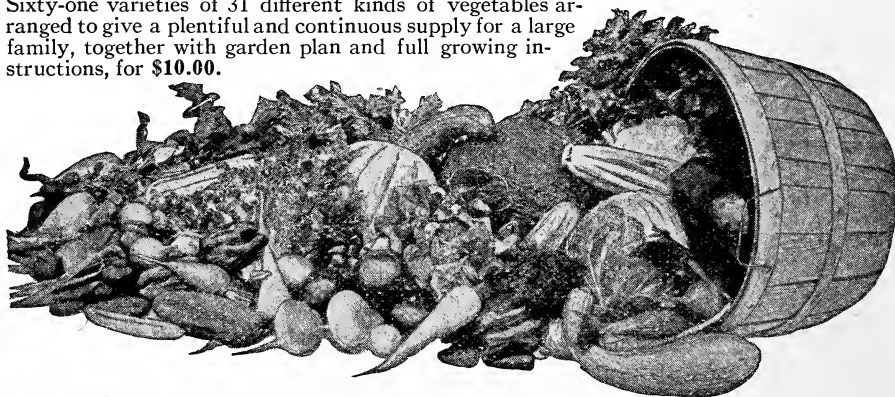
Garden Plan and Instruction Sheet.

Book—Rockwell's "Around the Year in the Garden."

Booklet—Mrs. Scott's Cook Book.

Full Set of Burpee's Cultural Leaflets.

Sixty-one varieties of 31 different kinds of vegetables arranged to give a plentiful and continuous supply for a large family, together with garden plan and full growing instructions, for \$10.00.



## ROOT CROPS

Those vegetables that are grown principally for their roots, such as beets, carrots, and turnips, are, of course, classified as Root Crops. Root Crops are easy to grow. They grow quickly from seed and do well in all parts of the country in any good soil. Root Crops can be had early in the spring, all through the summer and fall, and can be easily stored for winter use. Root Crops every month in the year will help greatly to reduce the high cost of living.

## EDIBLE SEEDS

Peas, beans, and corn are the Edible Seeds. No class of vegetables contains such highly concentrated food as do the Edible Seeds. So full of nutrition are the Edible Seeds that they might almost be called the vegetable beefsteak. Beans are more nutritious than meat.

## GREENS & SALADS

Greens and Salads are just as important for the daily diet as are the Root Crops and Edible Seeds, for they contain the mineral salts which are so necessary for good health. Most people do not eat enough of the green vegetables. Like the Root Crops, some greens, such as cabbage, brussels sprouts, and celery, can be stored for winter use. Greens and salads are truly nature's tonic.

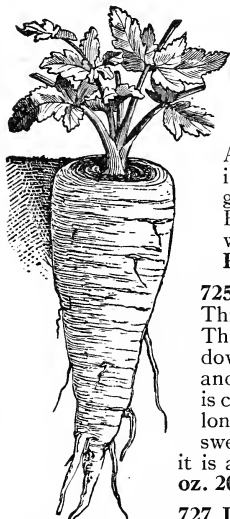
## VEGETABLE FRUITS

Most Vegetable Fruits grow on vines and spread well over the ground. They do best in a warm location and on medium-light, well-drained soil. Vegetable Fruits are perhaps the most popular of all vegetables. Musk melons, watermelons, cucumbers, pumpkins and squashes, egg plants, peppers, and tomatoes—surely Vegetable Fruits are the most delicious of all!

# Root Crops

Under this heading we have grouped together vegetables which are usually looked upon as Root Crops without claiming that they are, in a strictly botanical sense, Root Crops. The value of Root Crops is not sufficiently realized. Without going into full details of the chemical analysis of these Root Crops, their food value will be better appreciated when it is more generally known that they are rich in both starch and sugar. Their total food value per pound is from one and one-half to two times as great as that of corn, while four to six times as many pounds can be grown on the same area of ground.

## PARSNIPS



Guernsey Parsnip

The roots are long and tapering, requiring a deeply worked soil. The foliage is somewhat larger than that of Guernsey. The roots are fairly smooth.

Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 20 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 55 cts.; lb. \$1.75, postpaid.

### 728 EARLY SHORT ROUND

This is the earliest of all Parsnips, and for this reason widely grown in the home garden. It will give a good yield, sown as late as June, and will make a succession crop to early maturing vegetables. The roots often measure 5 to 6 inches across and 3 to 4 inches deep. The foliage is smaller and less abundant than in the long varieties. It is well adapted for forcing.

Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 25 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 75 cts.; lb. \$2.50, postpaid.

## SALSIFY, or OYSTER PLANT

This plant is grown largely for winter market. It is highly esteemed for the fine flavor of the roots. The roots are served boiled, or may be sliced and fried. Soups made from the roots have a delicious flavor resembling oysters. Seed should be sown early in the spring in shallow drills fifteen inches apart. Thin out the plants to stand four to six inches apart in the row. Cultivate frequently. Larger and finer roots can be grown in deep, rich soil. The roots are hardy and may be left in the ground during winter, or the leaves can be cut off in the fall, the roots carefully dug and stored in moist earth for use during the winter.

### 983 SANDWICH ISLAND MAMMOTH

This grows *uniformly* to an extra-large size, averaging fully *double the size* and weight of roots of the old variety. The roots, notwithstanding their extra-large size, are of very superior quality and delicate in flavor. *Seed grown on Burpee's Floradale Farms.*

Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 35 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$1.10; lb. \$3.50, postpaid.

Parsnips play an important part among our winter vegetables. They require a full season to come to maturity, and prefer a deep soil of medium texture. Moderately rich soil produces the best crops in size as well as in flavor. Sow during April and May.

### 724 OFFENHAM MARKET

An extremely heavy-shouldered, "intermediate-shaped," shallow-rooting parsnip, with yellow skin. It is a very heavy cropper, easily gathered, and of most excellent quality, sweet and tender for table use. Full-grown roots are ten to fourteen inches long by five to seven inches wide at the top. It is the best hollow-crowned parsnip for shallow soils.

Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 25 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 75 cts.; lb. \$2.50, postpaid.

### 725 GUERNSEY

This variety is extensively grown by truck gardeners for large city markets. The roots are medium long, with a broad shoulder, gradually tapering downward. The housewife prefers this variety for its convenient size and good shape. The white skin is smooth and attractive. Guernsey is considered the best and most productive of the long parsnips. The fine-grained, tender, and sweet flesh make it essentially a table variety, but it is also grown for cattle-feeding.

Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 20 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 60 cts.; lb. \$2.00, postpaid.

### 727 LONG SMOOTH

*Long Smooth* grows longer than the preceding variety, but does not have so broad a shoulder.

Salsify, or Oyster Plant



# RADISHES

There are three distinct classes of Radishes—the Spring Radishes, Summer Radishes, and Winter Radishes. The Spring Radishes can be grown almost all the year around and are important as a forcing crop during winter. They are sown outdoors from March on at intervals of ten days. Where hot summers prevail the Summer Radishes are grown more widely from June to August. Winter Radishes are sown from the middle of June on, repeating the sowing every two weeks.

## Round Varieties

### 877 BURPEE'S SCARLET BUTTON

This is a splendid strain of small extra-early, round, bright red Radish. We have frequently had them ready for use in twenty to twenty-five days after sowing the seed. Skin is a bright scarlet; flesh pure white, crisp, tender, and mild in flavor. Quite small top, and well suited for growing under glass.

Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 20 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 60 cts.; lb. \$2.00, postpaid.



Burpee's  
Scarlet  
Button

### 878 BURPEE'S RAPID-RED ☉

The quickest growing "Red Button" Radish! Some planters report that they grew these Radishes large enough to eat in the almost incredibly short time of twelve days. The average was from twenty to twenty-five days from the time that the seed was sown until the Radishes were ready for market. The Radishes are perfectly round, with thin, bright-red skin, firm white flesh, crisp and mildly

pungent. Leaves short and small and only three to four in number when the Radishes are ready for use. Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 30 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 90 cts.; lb. \$3.00, postpaid.

### 879 BURPEE'S HAILSTONE ☉

The quickest growing white Radish on record, ready for the table in fifteen to twenty-five days. The roots are turnip-shaped, an inch in diameter, snowy white, with slender tap-root. Flesh solid, crisp, and mild. Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 30 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 90 cts.; lb. \$3.00, postpaid.

### 883 VICK'S SCARLET GLOBE

SCARLET GLOBE forms a medium-sized round to oval root which is ready for the table in four to five weeks from outdoor spring sowing. It matures considerably quicker if grown under glass. The quality is superb, and the handsome appearance of the brilliantly colored skin gave it its popularity. A standard market variety that has no superior. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 15 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 45 cts.; lb. \$1.50, postpaid.

### 886 CRIMSON GIANT ☉

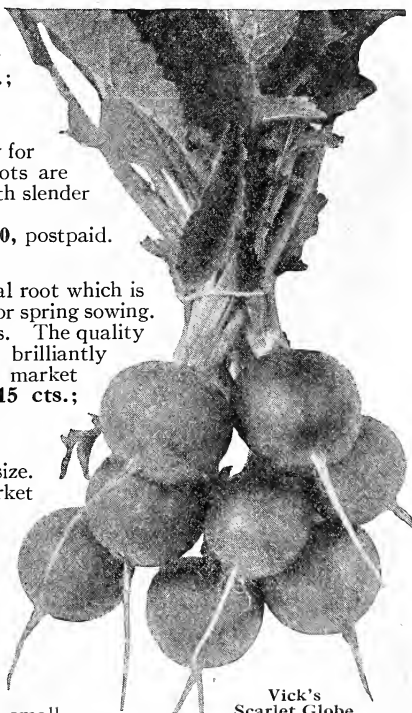
A fine, bright-red Radish, growing quickly to large size. It is especially fine for bunching, being ready to market in from four to five weeks from the time the seed is planted in the open ground early in spring. This Radish is a deep globe in form; two inches in depth; one and one-half inches in diameter, with thin, tender skin of a deep crimson. The flesh is purest white, crisp, and of mild flavor. Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 20 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 55 cts.; lb. \$1.75, postpaid.

### 893 SCARLET TURNIP WHITE TIP

(See color illustration on page 32.) Produces a small, round root, with bright scarlet top and a clear white circle on the tip, just above and including the slender tap-root. The juicy flesh is of a pure white color. The flavor is agreeably snappy. Our stock of this variety is extra fine and is most popular with many market gardeners who grow for an early and choice market. Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 20 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 55 cts.; lb. \$1.75, postpaid.

### 899 PHILADELPHIA WHITE BOX

An early variety, very popular with market gardeners. Radishes grow one and a half inches in diameter, with pure paper-white skin; crisp, mild flesh. Largely planted in the field for the earliest market crop. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 15 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 45 cts.; lb. \$1.50, postpaid.



Vick's  
Scarlet Globe



# RADISHES

## Olive-Shaped Varieties

### 905 BURPEE'S EARLIEST WHITE ☉

Our special strain of this variety produces handsome, very regularly olive-shaped roots. The beautiful small white-skinned and white-fleshed Radishes



have been grown under glass in the astonishing short time of sixteen to twenty days from the time of sowing until of edible size. Sown out-of-doors in early spring, they require three to four weeks to form an edible root. The flesh is pure white and crisp; quite snappy in flavor but not at all strong. The leaves are of medium size, erect, and of light green color. It is equally as good for growing in the hotbed as in the open air. **Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 25 cts.; ¼ lb. 75 cts.; lb. \$2.50, postpaid.**

### 907 FRENCH BREAKFAST

A most beautiful Radish of true olive shape. Color bright carmine with clear white in the lower portion. **FRENCH BREAKFAST** is an exceedingly early variety and must be eaten as soon as fully developed, to have it firm and crisp. It is well adapted for forcing in the greenhouse or hotbed. One of the leading varieties for early market. Very tender and mild.

**Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 15 cts.; ¼ lb. 45 cts.; lb. \$1.50, postpaid.**



Long  
Cardinal

## Long Varieties

### 928 EARLY LONG SCARLET SHORT TOP ☉

The roots are somewhat thicker and one-third shorter than the old *Long Scarlet* variety. The bright, carmine-red color makes it an attractive variety when bunched for market. It is much used for forcing in the hotbed and matures under glass within three weeks. They are ready in four to five weeks from outdoor sowing in early spring. The flesh is white, crisp, and brittle. Many consider this variety the best long red Radish for the home garden. The roots measure five to six inches, growing half out of the ground. **Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 15 cts.; ¼ lb. 45 cts.; lb. \$1.50, postpaid.**

### 930 CINCINNATI MARKET ("Glass" Radish)

A strain of the *Long Scarlet*, growing to slightly larger size fully as early and darker in coloring. A popular variety in the South, and largely planted for shipping North during the early spring months. **Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 20 cts.; ¼ lb. 55 cts.; lb. \$1.75, postpaid.**

### 932 WOOD'S EARLY FRAME

A variety which in form comes between the long and the intermediate kinds. The roots are really an elongated ovoid shape, measuring two and one-quarter to almost three inches long. Through its thickest part it measures more than three-quarters of an inch. This is an extra-early strain of *Long Scarlet Short Top*. **Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 15 cts.; ¼ lb. 45 cts.; lb. \$1.50, postpaid.**

### 934 HALF-LONG DEEP SCARLET

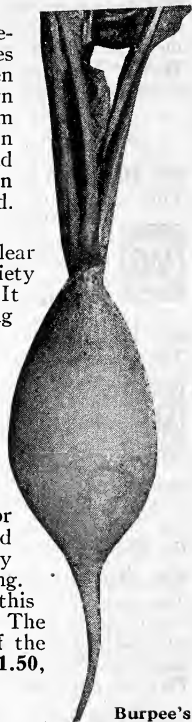
Very popular in the New Orleans market. The Radishes are of slightly larger diameter and most brilliant scarlet coloring. Flesh purest white, crisp, and juicy. **Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 15 cts.; ¼ lb. 45 cts.; lb. \$1.50, postpaid.**

### 936 LONG CARDINAL, OR LONG BRIGHTEST SCARLET

Similar to *Long Scarlet*, but not quite so long and even brighter in color. The crisp, tender Radishes grow quickly and are very attractive bunched for market. **Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 20 cts.; ¼ lb. 55 cts.; lb. \$1.75, postpaid.**

### 938 WHITE ICICLE ☉ (See color illustration, page 32.)

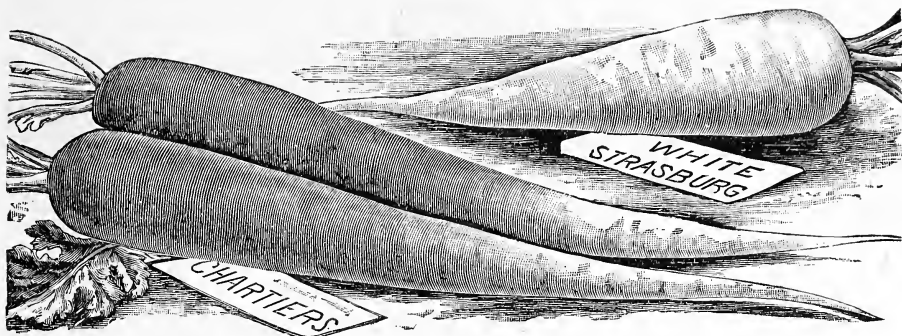
The finest and longest of the very early pure white varieties. Radishes are ready for use in six to seven weeks from early outdoor sowing. Grown as a forcing crop, the roots mature quicker. They find a ready sale on account of their good form. The roots measure four to five inches in length, and their long, slender form and pure paper-white skin are most attractive when bunched for market. This Radish is crisp and tender not only when young, but retains these qualities until the roots attain large size, so that it remains in fine condition longer than any other long variety. **Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 20 cts.; ¼ lb. 60 cts.; lb. \$2.00, postpaid.**



Burpee's  
Earliest  
White

**Will you have to pay out good money later for vegetables you forgot to plant? In two minutes you can run over the whole alphabetic index, page 164. Do it now and be sure!**





## RADISH—Summer Varieties

These attain a larger size than the earlier Radishes. By making succession sowings every ten to fourteen days, a continuous supply of fresh, piquant radishes can be had all summer long. Sow from March until August.

### 951 CHARTIERS, OR SHEPHERD ☉

Attractive, long crimson roots tipped with white on the lower end. Resembles somewhat the *Long Scarlet*, but grows to twice the size. The flesh is white, crisp, and of fine flavor. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 15 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 45 cts.; lb. \$1.50, postpaid.

### 953 LONG WHITE VIENNA, OR LADY FINGER RADISH

An excellent pure white-skinned variety, growing to good size without becoming pithy or tough. The flesh is pure, icy white.

Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 15 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 45 cts.; lb. \$1.50, postpaid.

### 959 WHITE STRASSBURG ☉

The fine roots measure four to five inches long and as much as two inches in diameter. The skin is pure white and smooth. The flesh is white and agreeably mild.

Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 15 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 45 cts.; lb. \$1.50, postpaid.



White Chinese

## Winter Varieties

The Winter Varieties of radish have flesh which is somewhat firmer, and for this reason will keep well if stored properly. Most varieties attain good size and require several months before reaching full growth. The seed is sown any time from middle of June until August first, in rows fifteen to twenty-four inches apart. Pull the roots in November and store packed in boxes filled with dry soil in a cool cellar.

### 963 WHITE CHINESE, OR CELESTIAL ☉

This is by far the best of all Winter Radishes. The roots are pure white, cylindric, and of good size. Fully developed roots measure quite often twelve to fifteen inches in length and five inches in diameter; a large part of the root protrudes above the surface. The pure white flesh is brittle and juicy.

Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 20 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 55 cts.; lb. \$1.75, postpaid.

### 967 CHINESE ROSE, OR SCARLET CHINA

A root of medium size, four to five inches long. Skin deep rose color. Flesh pure white, very firm and compact, with a snappy, pungent flavor.

Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 20 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 55 cts.; lb. \$1.75, postpaid.

### 971 LONG BLACK SPANISH

A perfectly cylindric root, very regular in shape. Seven to ten inches long and two or three inches thick. The skin is practically black. The flesh is pure white, firm, and compact.

Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 20 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 55 cts.; lb. \$1.75, postpaid.

### 973 LONG WHITE SPANISH

Six to seven inches long, and nearly three inches thick. The skin is a clear white. The flesh is paper white and quite pungent. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 20 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 60 cts.; lb. \$2.00, postpaid.

### 975 ROUND BLACK SPANISH

Roots almost round, three to four inches in diameter and about three inches long; has black skin but pure white flesh which is compact and firm.

Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 20 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 55 cts.; lb. \$1.75, postpaid.

# BEETS

Beets are classed according to their uses. We have *Sugar Beets*, *Mangel-Wurzels*, and *Table Beets*. The Sugar Beets are varieties which have for years been carefully selected for high sugar content of the root. They are extensively grown to extract the sugar and also for stock feeding. They are nutritious and easily stored over winter. The Mangel-Wurzels are universally grown for stock feeding. They grow to enormous size and yield a large quantity of nutritious roots. The Table Beets comprise varieties with comparatively small roots, selected for freeness from fiber, fine-grained texture, and sweetness. The deep-red varieties of this class are most preferred, but dark and light zoned as well as yellow-fleshed kinds are grown.

## Sugar Beets

Root Crops should be raised on every farm for stock feeding

Ask for our Leaflet on Root Crops

Write for prices on large quantities

### 139 DANISH IMPROVED ☉

Roots of thick, oval form; very productive. They are rich in sugar and most desirable for stock feeding. Bright-green foliage with leaf-stalks and skin shaded with pink. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 20 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 55 cts.; lb. \$1.75, postpaid.



### 141 LANE'S IMPERIAL

This beet will yield almost as much in bulk as the best mangels and contains a large percentage of sugar. The roots are smooth, broad at the shoulder, and gradually taper to the base. Crisp, snow-white flesh. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 15 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 45 cts.; lb. \$1.50, postpaid.

### 143 WANZLEBEN

This is the variety so extensively planted for sugar factories. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 15 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 45 cts.; lb. \$1.50, postpaid.

### 145 GIANT HALF-SUGAR ROSE ☉

The roots average ten to twelve inches, and the outline is that of a broad, thick wedge. The upper portion is bright rose outside; the lower portion for about one-third the length is white. The flesh is pure white, firm, and very sweet.

Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 15 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 40 cts.; lb. \$1.25, postpaid.

## Mangel-Wurzels

### For Stock Feeding

### 147 GOLDEN TANKARD ☉

A smooth, *yellow-fleshed* mangel; yields large crops on good land and is easily harvested.

Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 10 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 30 cts.; lb. \$1.00, postpaid.

### 149 GOLDEN GIANT, OR YELLOW LEVIATHAN

Fine, large roots. Skin a rich golden yellow; flesh pure white, firm, and sweet in flavor.

Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 10 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 30 cts.; lb. \$1.00, postpaid.

### 151 MAMMOTH PRIZE LONG RED ☉

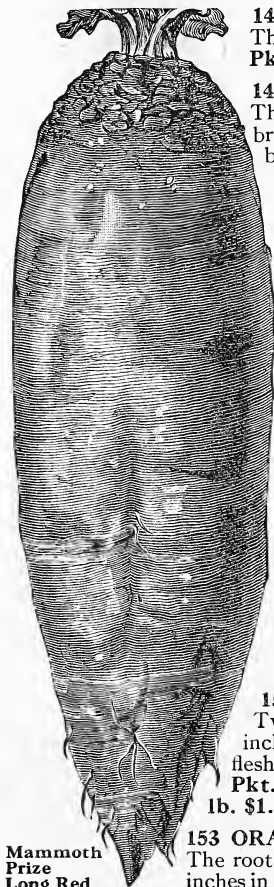
Two or more feet in length by six inches in diameter. Skin bright dark red; flesh white, with veined rings of rose pink.

Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 15 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 40 cts.; lb. \$1.25, postpaid.

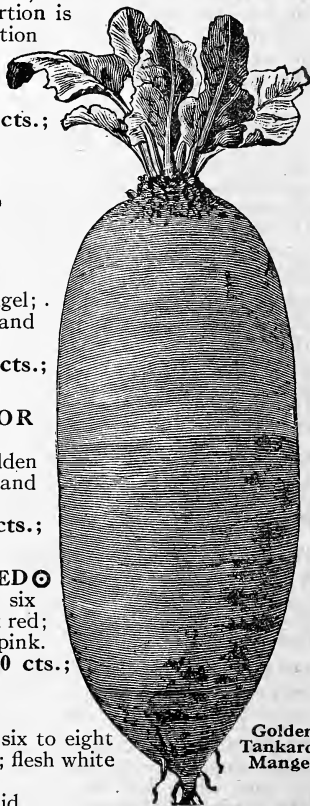
### 153 ORANGE GLOBE

The roots are of a true globe shape, from six to eight inches in diameter. Skin rich orange-yellow; flesh white with lemon-yellow rings—sweet and solid.

Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 10 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 30 cts.; lb. 90 cts., postpaid.



Mammoth  
Prize  
Long Red



Golden  
Tankard  
Mangel

# TABLE BEETS

These are of universal culture, but we would emphasize the importance of using improved strains which will produce the finest and smoothest roots with a minimum amount of foliage. It is important, also, to make frequent sowings in order that a constant supply of tender, young roots may be had throughout the season. When allowed to get too old, the roots become hard, have a woody fiber, and to a great extent lose their sweet flavor. Seed may be sown as early in spring as the ground can be worked into good condition. Sowings should be made for succession at least once a month up to the first of July, at which time we recommend making a large sowing to produce a supply of well-grown roots for winter use. If the roots are gathered on the approach of cold weather and packed in slightly moist earth, they can be kept in a cool cellar in perfect condition until spring.

The seed should be sown thinly in drills from one-half to one inch in depth, leaving twelve inches or more between the rows, to admit of cultivation. When well started, the plants should be thinned out to stand one in a place, three to four inches apart in the row, and the ground cultivated regularly throughout the growing season.

## 109 EXTRA-EARLY EGYPTIAN

Grows extra quickly, producing flat, smooth, turnip-shaped roots two inches in diameter. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 15 cts.; ¼ lb. 45 cts.; 1b. \$1.50.

**111 CROSBY'S EGYPTIAN**  
Roots are smooth and round in form; of finer quality than the regular *Egyptian*, combined with same extra-early maturity. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 15 cts.; ¼ lb. 45 cts.; 1b. \$1.50, postpaid.

**122 CRIMSON GLOBE**  
Of fine form, with smooth skin. The tender flesh is a deep purplish-crimson, slightly "zoned," foliage small, of a rich bronze-purple. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 15 cts.; ¼ lb. 45 cts.; 1b. \$1.50.

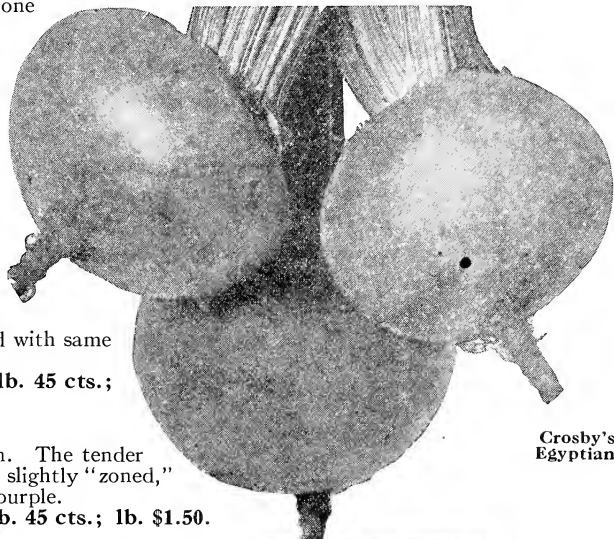
**123 EARLY MODEL**  
Extremely early, of perfect globe form and finest quality. The foliage is very small. The beets are always smooth and of the deepest blood-red color, while they quickly attain a good size. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 20 cts.; ¼ lb. 55 cts.; 1b. \$1.75, postpaid.

**124 ECLIPSE**  
(See illustration to right.) Extra-early, somewhat turnip-shaped, smooth roots. The flesh is a fine deep blood-red. The foliage is small. Popular both for market and the home garden. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 20 cts.; ¼ lb. 55 cts.; 1b. \$1.75, postpaid.

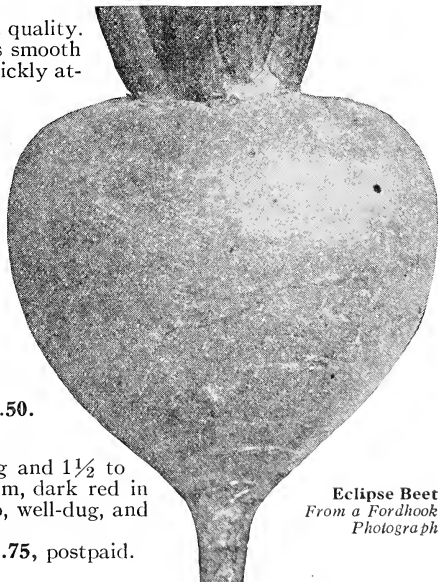
**130 DEWING'S IMPROVED**  
Quite early, round-turnip-shaped, of good size, with deeply colored flesh. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 15 cts.; ¼ lb. 45 cts.; 1b. \$1.50.

**131 LONG SMOOTH BLOOD-RED**  
Roots very long, almost cylindric, 12 inches long and 1½ to 2 inches in diameter. Skin smooth and uniform, dark red in color. The flesh is blackish red. Requires deep, well-dug, and well-manured soil. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 20 cts.; ¼ lb. 50 cts.; 1b. \$1.75, postpaid.

**133 EARLY YELLOW TURNIP**  
Both skin and flesh are a bright, light yellow, in marked contrast to the deep-red coloring of the other beets; early and sweet. *Crop failed.*



Crosby's  
Egyptian



Eclipse Beet  
From a Fordhook  
Photograph

# Four Burpee Beets

## 121 BURPEE'S BLACK-RED BALL Ⓞ

Remarkable for its uniform shape, deeply colored flesh, and fine sweet flavor. The globe-shaped roots are smooth and free from any woody fiber. Both skin and flesh are of an unusually deep rich red; this intensity of color is retained when cooked, making the beets most attractive for both canning and pickling. Although very early (quickly reaching a diameter of two inches), if left growing, the larger roots retain their fine flavor and deep coloring. One of the best varieties for market on account of its form, color of flesh, fine flavor, and earliness. The ideal small garden beet. (See color illustration on page 21.) Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 25 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 75 cts.; 1b. \$2.50, postpaid.



## 117 BURPEE'S COLUMBIA Ⓞ

A superb early main-crop Beet. (See color illustration on page 21.) Roots are of neat turnip shape, growing three to four inches in diameter, thick through, but quickly tapering in the lower portion; smooth and entirely free from small rootlets. Flesh deep blood-red, tender, and of rich flavor. The roots can be used early in the season, when only partially grown, being ready for use almost as quickly as the extra-early sorts, and of better quality. It retains its choice quality and freedom from woodiness until the beets attain their full size. Is considered one of the best for winter storing from seed sown middle of June. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 15 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 45 cts.; 1b. \$1.50, postpaid.



## 107 BURPEE'S EXTRA EARLY Ⓞ

This is fully as early as and of much finer quality than the Egyptian; roots slightly flattened, very smooth and regular. The flesh, in alternate rings of light and dark pink, is particularly tender and sweet. Matures quickly, making a fine market crop in seven to eight weeks from sowing the seed. (See color illustration on page 21.) Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 20 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 60 cts.; 1b. \$2.00, postpaid.



## 128 BURPEE'S IMPROVED BLOOD Ⓞ

(See illustration in color, page 21.) This is an improved strain of *Early Blood Turnip Beet*, having smooth round roots of medium size, with dark-red flesh, fine grain, and retaining its deep coloring when cooked. The flavor of this variety is distinctly sweeter and finer than any other beet. Altogether free from tough fiber. Tops are small and of uniform growth; the leaves, stems, and veinings are a dark red. It grows quickly and is of value for both the home gardener and the market grower. Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 25 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 70 cts.; 1b. \$2.25, postpaid.



# Other Fine Table Beets

## 113 EDMAND'S EARLY Ⓞ

The beets are round, very smooth, extra early, and of good marketable size. Skin and flesh deep blood-red; extremely tender. An old favorite with many gardeners.

Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 20 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 55 cts.; 1b. \$1.75, postpaid.

## 115 DETROIT DARK RED Ⓞ

Form globular or ovoid; smooth roots with small tops; skin blood-red; flesh dark red, zoned with a lighter shade, tender and sweet. A popular favorite for canning because of its extra deep dark-red color.

Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 20 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 60 cts.; 1b. \$2.00, postpaid.

## 120 DARK STINSON Ⓞ

This is a finely bred variety for summer market.

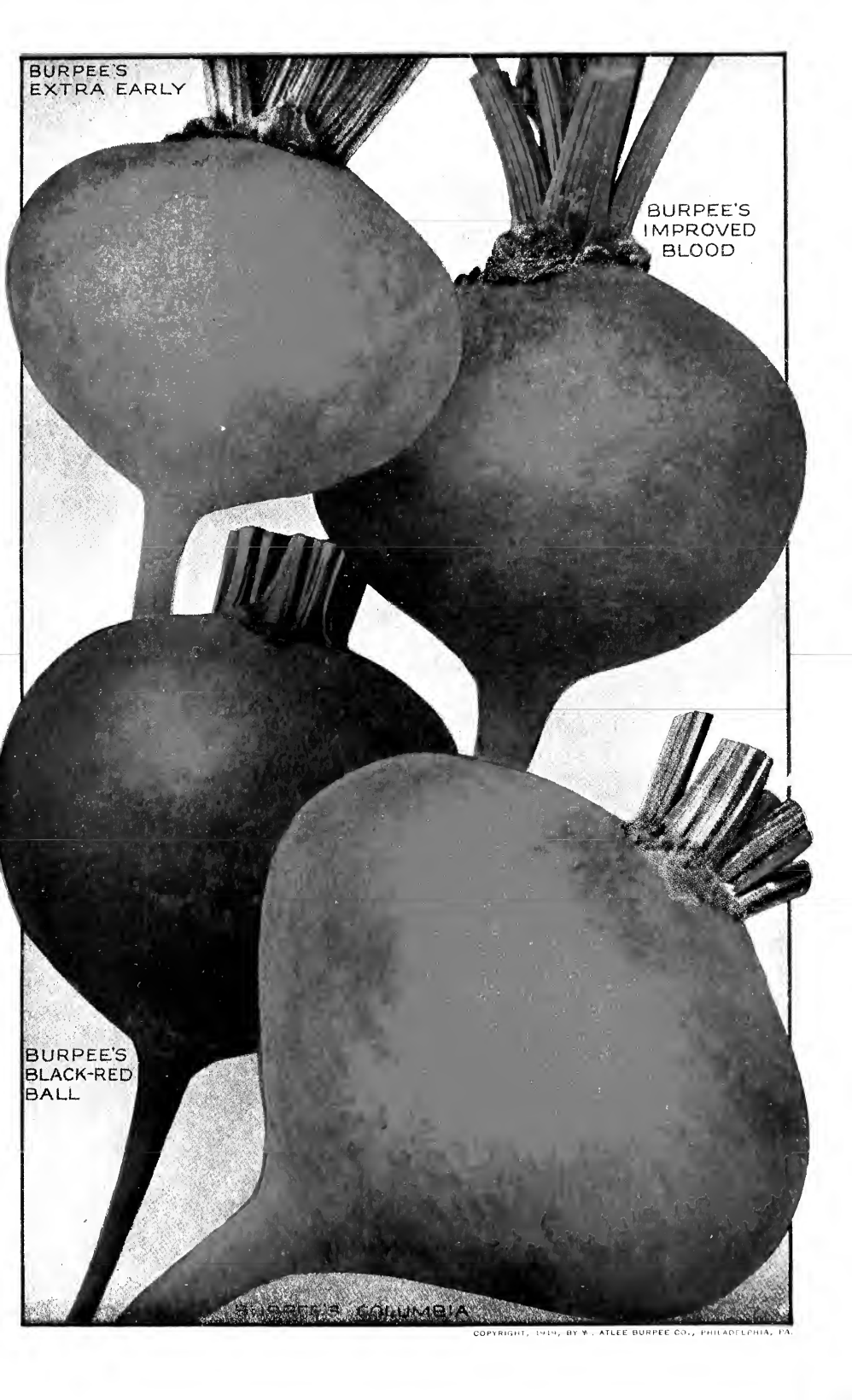
The roots average two and a half inches in diameter, with richly colored leaves only five inches in length. Beets are smooth and regular in form, with small tap-root. Flesh is fine-grained, free from any woodiness, even when fully grown, and is of dark-red coloring.

Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 25 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 70 cts.; 1b. \$2.25, postpaid.



Dark Stinson  
From a Photograph

THE BURPEE STANDARD IN SEEDS is the highest it is possible to attain to-day, and yet we aim for still further betterment. PROGRESS is our watchword! Planters throughout the world, whether gardening for pleasure or profit, soon learn that "the best is the cheapest." These three sentences convey the principal "reasons why" the Burpee-Business grows steadily year by year. Shall we have the pleasure of serving you this season, or will you wait until importuned by some traveling salesman or store-keeper to buy other seeds claimed to be "just as good as BURPEE'S"? You may get as good, but you cannot get better seeds at any price!



BURPEE'S  
EXTRA EARLY

BURPEE'S  
IMPROVED  
BLOOD

BURPEE'S  
BLACK-RED  
BALL

BURPEE'S COLUMBIA



DANVERS  
HALF LONG

### 225 Danvers Half-Long Orange ◎

A favorite variety largely grown for market, originating with the gardeners of Danvers, Mass. The roots measure  $1\frac{1}{2}$  to 2 inches in diameter at the shoulder, by 5 to 6 inches in length, and hold their thickness well, being gently tapering and abruptly pointed at the base. The flesh is fine grained, of a beautiful rich orange color and free from any woody fiber. An exceptionally fine variety for winter storage.

Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 15 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 45 cts.; lb. \$1.50, postpaid.

### 223 Oxheart ◎

This is a widely grown home garden variety. The first edible roots measure  $\frac{3}{4}$  inch across when they are pulled to make room for the remaining ones. Fully grown roots measure  $2\frac{1}{2}$  inches in diameter at the top, and from 3 to 4 inches in length. They are free from hard core or fiber, and are of excellent quality.

Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 15 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 45 cts.; lb. \$1.50, postpaid.

### 219 Short Horn or Early Scarlet Horn ◎

The most popular of all early sorts, being ready for use nearly as quickly as the Golden Ball, but of larger size. The rich, deep orange color, combined with the fine grained flesh, which is of exceptional sweet flavor, makes this a most desirable Carrot, succeeding well even in shallow soil.

Pkt. 15 cts.; oz. 50 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$1.50; lb. \$5.00, postpaid.

SHORT HORN  
OR EARLY SCARLET HORN

OXHEART



# CARROTS

This excellent and easily grown vegetable is deserving more general cultivation in the home garden.

Sow the seed thinly in shallow drills early in the spring, when the trees are starting out in leaf. Make three or more sowings of the early varieties a month apart, to afford a succession of tender roots, as when fully grown the roots are apt to become hard and woody, while the small varieties may split open from overgrowth.

When plants are well started, thin out the small early sorts to two inches apart in the row, and large late varieties from three to four inches. They should be sown in mellow, rich soil, deeply worked, and receive constant cultivation during growth to insure smooth, straight roots.

New  
Amsterdam  
Forcing



## 217 EARLY GOLDEN BALL, OR FRENCH FORCING

This is an excellent variety, both for forcing in cold-frames and for sowing in the garden for the earliest supply. The small roots are round in form, one and a half inches in diameter, smooth, tender, and of fine flavor.

Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 25 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 75 cts.; lb. \$2.50, postpaid.

## 218 NEW AMSTERDAM FORCING

*See illustration to left of an average marketable root as grown at FORDHOOK.*

This fine variety is unsurpassed for forcing purposes, and is quite distinct from all other carrots. The foliage is light and averages only six inches in height. The straight roots are unusually handsome, of a bright, orange-red color, with a blunt end and very small tap-root. They are exceedingly uniform, growing about four inches long by one and a quarter inches in diameter; the flesh is crisp and sweet, without stringiness, while the core is very small. It is an ideal variety for forcing under glass and for early market grown in the open.

Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 50 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$1.50; lb. \$5.00, postpaid.

## 221 CHANTENAY, OR MODEL

This is a very choice strain, producing thick roots of the finest quality. Will average three inches in diameter at the shoulder, gently tapering throughout the broad stump-root, and measuring five inches in length.

Flesh tender, fine grained, free from hard core, and of a deep golden orange. An excellent variety to grow for winter use, as they can be harvested easily and are immensely productive. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 15 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 45 cts.; lb. \$1.50, postpaid.

## 226 HALF-LONG NANTES

A handsome, half-long variety, almost perfectly cylindrical, blunt-ended, and with a very small tap-root.

They average six inches in length, by one and one-half inches in diameter. The skin is very smooth and clean and of a rich orange color. The flesh is of fine texture, free from stringiness, while the core is very small and quite devoid of woody fiber.

Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 20 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 60 cts.; lb. \$2.00, postpaid.

## 229 BURPEE'S IMPROVED LONG ORANGE

This is a variety of the largest size. The roots are uniform in size and form, smooth, and free from small rootlets, penetrating the soil very deeply. Of gradually

tapering shape, holding thickness well throughout the length; rich, deep orange coloring. It is a good keeper, of fine quality for winter use, and extensively grown for stock feeding.

Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 20 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 60 cts.; lb. \$2.00, postpaid.

## 231 ST. VALERY, OR NEW INTERMEDIATE

Roots very smooth and regular in growth, of large size, from ten to twelve inches in length, and two to three inches in diameter at the top, tapering gradually throughout. Rich, deep coloring and free from hard core. Called the "Pointed-rooted Danvers."

Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 20 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 60 cts.; lb. \$2.00, postpaid.



Chantenay  
or Model

A very desirable  
variety for the  
family garden

Carrots are easily stored and keep their good qualities under storage conditions. Larger sowings should be made late in June and during July. Half-long varieties are preferred to be sown at that time, and they will make fine roots of just the right size for winter storing. Take the roots up before severe frosts set in, cut the leaves within one-half inch from the top, and place them in a cool cellar. They will keep nice and plump if placed in alternate layers of dry soil and roots.

## CARROTS for Stock Feeding

These can be grown easily in good, loose soil; keep well when stored for winter use and form an extremely wholesome addition to the winter rations of stock when fed in conjunction with corn and dry fodder. The deep-orange colored sorts are esteemed also because they impart a richer coloring to milk and butter during winter months.

They are grown most easily in land which has been under cultivation the preceding season, and which has been manured heavily and plowed during the previous fall, though short, well-rotted manure will give excellent results, turned under in the spring if the surface is finely prepared before sowing the seed. Seed should be sown early, thinly in drills three feet apart, using four pounds of seed to the acre. Give thorough cultivation throughout the season, working more deeply as growth advances. Full cultural directions for growing and storing for winter and feeding will be found in our Leaflet, "Storing Vegetables for Winter," sent free if asked for on the order.

### 235 IMPROVED SHORT WHITE ○

The most productive and most easily harvested for stock feeding.

The roots grow about eight inches in length, measuring three inches at shoulder, and gradually tapering throughout their length. Smooth, white skin, free from small rootlets. Flesh solid, white, crisp, rich, and nutritious. We have reports of this variety yielding 20 tons per acre.

Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 15 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 45 cts.; lb. \$1.50, postpaid.

### 238 LARGE WHITE BELGIAN

This Carrot grows a third or more of its length above the surface. Roots will average two inches in diameter at the shoulder and a foot or more in length. The diameter is even throughout the entire length, the roots tapering gradually at the base. They are easily pulled in harvesting, and do not have to be dug out, like most long-rooted sorts. Flesh and skin pure white, though the latter is occasionally tinged with green in upper portion growing above the soil. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 15 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 45 cts.; lb. \$1.50, postpaid.

### 240 LARGE YELLOW BELGIAN

This is similar to the preceding in growth and form, but flesh and skin of the portion growing below the soil are of a pale orange coloring. These two varieties have probably been grown more extensively than any others for stock feeding in the past, but are destined to be superseded to a great extent by the large, thick roots of the *Improved Short White* variety offered above, and the thick, stump-rooted table sorts.

Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 20 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 55 cts.; lb. \$1.75, postpaid.

Improved  
Short  
White

## CHICORY

Chicory is grown quite extensively in Europe for its roots, which are roasted and ground as a coffee substitute or adulterant. The culture is exceedingly easy. Sow the seed in early spring where the crop is to be grown. Sow thinly in rows not less than eighteen inches apart.

### 295 LARGE-ROOTED, OR COFFEE

This variety is distinguished by the large-sized roots. They are thick and straight, often fourteen inches long and about two inches thick. It is the variety mostly grown for the manufacture of "Coffee Chicory." The roots are cut in thin slices, roasted, and then ground.

Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 35 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$1.00; lb. \$3.50, postpaid.

(*Willoughby-Chicory* is a salad plant exclusively, and is listed under Greens and Salads, page 69.)

## TURNIP-ROOTED PARSLEY

The turnip-rooted parsley serves a double purpose: it can be used much in the same way as other parsley, but is mostly grown for the thick, fleshy roots. The roots are nearly white in color, growing about six inches long and about two inches thick around the neck. They gradually taper toward the base. The flesh is white and somewhat dry. In flavor it resembles celeriac. It is quite well known in some parts of Europe, and is used for flavoring soups, stews, etc.

### 723 LARGE-ROOTED HAMBURG

This is practically the only variety cultivated.

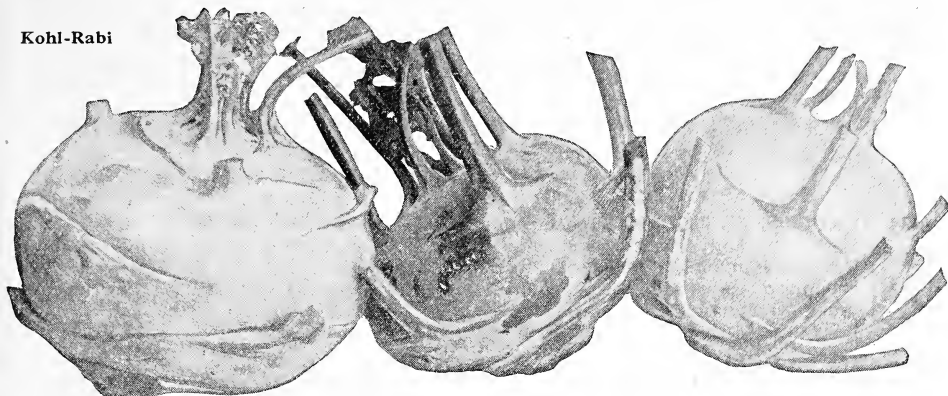
Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 20 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 55 cts.; lb. \$1.75, postpaid.



# KOHL-RABI (Turnip-Rooted Cabbage)

In growth this is half-way between cabbage and turnip; the edible portion is the large swollen stem which forms just above the soil. By making successive sowings, it may be had throughout summer and fall. It is highly esteemed for the mild, delicate, cabbage-like flavor. Seed may be sown in drills as early as the ground can be worked in good condition. They may also be started in a cold-frame, just like cabbage, and set out when four to six weeks old. The larger varieties are also grown for cattle-feeding.

Kohl-Rabi



## 456 EARLY WHITE VIENNA ☉

A very select extra-early, short-topped strain. The whitish-green bulbs are tender and sweet when two to three inches in diameter. It has very few and small leaves, which are about eight to ten inches long. This variety will be ready for table use in seventy-five to eighty days from sowing. Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 45 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$1.35; 1b. \$4.50, postpaid.

## 457 EARLY PURPLE VIENNA

Quite similar in growth and size to the *Early White Vienna*, but the swollen stem and leaves are of purplish color. This variety is a few days later.

Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 35 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$1.00; 1b. \$3.50, postpaid.

## 459 LARGE GREEN OR WHITE

The swollen stem grows from six to eight inches in diameter, but requires a correspondingly longer time to reach this size. The leaves are large, often twelve to sixteen inches long, with stalks as thick as a man's little finger. The bulbs and foliage are light green. Fully grown in six to seven months. In flavor and texture it cannot compare with the early Vienna varieties. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 30 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 90 cts.; 1b. \$3.00, postpaid.

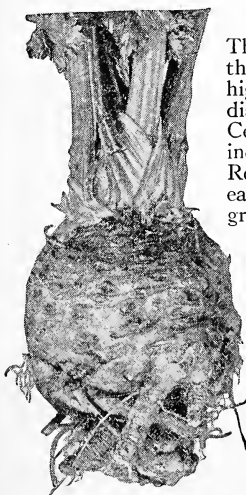
# CELERIAC (Turnip-Rooted Celery)

This is distinct in growth from the tall Celeries. The edible portion is the large, swollen root, which somewhat resembles a turnip, and is highly esteemed for boiling or for flavoring soups, stews, and other dishes. The plants should be started in the same manner as other Celeries, and when of sufficient size, transplanted to stand eight to ten inches apart each way, hoeing frequently to promote a strong growth. Roots are produced entirely below the surface; plants do not need earthing up. Requires good, rich, moist, mellow, and manured soil to grow to perfection. Keep the plant supplied with plenty of moisture, and have the ground free from weeds.

## 293 GIANT SMOOTH PRAGUE

This is a highly developed variety, with almost globe-shaped roots. The sides of the roots are smooth and practically free from small rootlets. They grow to good size, with strong, stout, somewhat whitish leaf-stalks.

Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 30 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 90 cts.; 1b. \$3.00, postpaid.



Celeriac  
(Turnip-Rooted Celery)

You miss many a "good treat" if you don't grow some of the rarer vegetables, such as Kohl-Rabi and Celeriac. Kohl-Rabi resembles Cauliflower in taste, and, since it grows quickly, can be had much earlier. Celeriac is simply delicious for flavoring, but there is nothing to compare with Celeriac Salad. Boil the roots in salt water, slice, cool, and serve with vinegar, oil, salt, and pepper.

# POTATOES

## Northern Grown Seed

In purchasing seed from us you can feel sure you are getting the best to be had. All our potatoes are northern grown and have passed the required inspections as to freedom from diseases. Orders accompanied by cash will be acknowledged promptly. Since our potatoes are stored in New York City, we are quoting bushel (60 lbs. net) and sack lots (165 lbs. net) f. o. b. New York City. We will ship in sacks when weather conditions permit. Any different packing will be charged at cost. Shipments made according to date given by customer will be forwarded at the customer's risk. Please state plainly whether we shall ship by express or freight. Small quantities to be forwarded by mail are supplied from our Philadelphia warehouse at the prices given.

PRICES ON ALL POTATOES SUBJECT TO CHANGE WITHOUT NOTICE

### Early

#### 1434 BURPEE'S EXTRA-EARLY



Very early and unusually fine in quality. The tubers are oblong in form, averaging three to four inches in length. Skin pale brown, with few and shallow eyes. The cooking qualities are all that could be desired. It ripens very evenly, and the tops die down as soon as the crop is matured, so that the potato may be dug and the land be planted with a second crop for succession.

#### 1446 IRISH COBBLER

One of the best of the extra-early varieties, and very popular. The tubers are "round-oblong" in shape, quite smooth, with few and shallow eyes. Skin smooth, yellowish white. The flesh is always dry and mealy, of excellent flavor.

#### 1442 IMPROVED EARLY ROSE

The Early Rose is the old standard early potato. Vines are stout and erect. Tubers quite smooth, nearly cylindric, somewhat flat in the middle, and gradually tapering toward each end. Has shallow eyes and a thin, tough skin of a dull bluish color. Flesh white and of excellent cooking qualities.

### Midseason

#### 1448 RURAL NEW YORKER NO. 2

A magnificent midseason variety. Strong and thrifty vines. Tubers oblong, inclined to be round-oval, somewhat flattened. The skin is a pure white, netted, with few and shallow eyes. Flesh pure white, of fine flavor.

### Late

#### 1451 SIR WALTER RALEIGH

This variety is somewhat later than *Rural New Yorker*, but otherwise resembles it in the size and shape of the tubers and the color of flesh and skin. It excels, however, in quality.

#### 1454 VERMONT GOLD COIN

The vines are strong, with exceptionally *luxuriant, deep-green foliage*, making a healthy growth when other varieties are cut down by blight. The tubers are of good size and lie close together in the hill. In form the tubers are slightly oblong, rather broad, and quite thick through; very easy to pare. The eyes are small and there is but little waste in paring. The skin is thin, smooth, and glossy, of a *light golden tint*, having just sufficient coloring to distinguish it from the white-skinned varieties. The flesh is fine grained, of a *pure, pearly whiteness*, and *cooks to a dry, floury whiteness*. They will, even when freshly dug, cook dry and mealy. Its great solidity, smooth, regular form, and **unequaled table quality** make it the *most popular and quickest selling variety on market*.



#### 1450 EXTRA SELECT GREEN MOUNTAIN (or State of Maine)

This variety is perhaps the best known late Potato in every market. Those of our customers who expect to plant a late potato will do well to consider this extra select stock of Green Mountain. It is a standard late variety, combining strong, vigorous growth and great productiveness with large size, handsome appearance, and excellent quality. The potatoes are of broad, oval form, with thick, broad ends, eyes few and shallow. Vines erect, with dark, glossy leaves, seldom troubled by bugs or blight. A most popular market variety.



Clean, healthy stock, true to name, of any of the above varieties: Lb. 25 cts.; 5 lbs. \$1.00, postpaid. By express or freight from New York City at purchaser's expense: Bushel (60 lbs. net), \$4.25; sack (165 lbs. net), \$10.00.

# HORSE-RADISH

This is a hardy plant, thriving best in a moist, cool spot. The small sets or roots are planted each spring to furnish large, straight, smooth roots for use the following season. The roots can be left in the garden until needed for use, and when grated, make an appetizing relish to all meat dishes. Horse-radish is also an excellent ingredient in making mixed pickles of all kinds, as it not only adds to the flavor of the pickles, but is extremely useful in adding to their keeping qualities. Twenty-five to fifty roots will supply a medium-sized family.

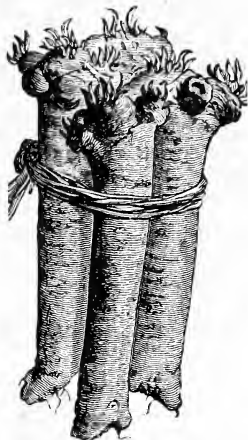
## 1405 COMMON HORSE-RADISH

Small roots, 6 for 15 cts.; 25 cts. per dozen, or \$1.45 per 100, postpaid. By express, freight, or parcel post, at expense of purchaser: 100 for \$1.00; 200 for \$1.85; 500 for \$4.25; 1000 for \$7.50.

## 1406 BOHEMIAN HORSE-RADISH, MALINER-KREN ☉

The plants are of strong growth and the roots grow to large size and great weight. The quick, strong growth not only gives a much larger crop from a given area, but also enables the grower to place the roots in the markets much earlier than with the ordinary variety. SMALL ROOTS, ready for planting: 6 for 20 cts.; 35 cts. per dozen; 50 for \$1.10, or 100 for \$2.00, postpaid. By

express, freight, or parcel post, at expense of purchaser: Roots of uniform length, in bunches of 50, 75 cts. for 50; 100 for \$1.35; 200 for \$2.50; 500 for \$5.75, or 1000 for \$10.00.



Common Horse-Radish

# 1408 JERUSALEM ARTICHOKE

Many of our customers, particularly those in the South, have come to know the true value of the Jerusalem Artichoke for market, the table, and as a food for hogs. They thrive in any good soil and produce wonderful crops. In some sections they are left out over winter, thus increasing from year to year.

Lb. 25 cts., postpaid. By express: 10 lbs. at 15 cts. per lb.; 100 lbs. at 12 cts. per lb.

# ONION SETS

It is cheaper to raise onions directly from the seed, but sets are valuable for raising bunch onions to pull early in the spring. *Prices vary with the market—please write for quotations on quantities.*

## 1419 WHITE ONION SETS

Grown from our choice strain of the *Philadelphia White Silverskin* seed.

Lb. 35 cts., postpaid. By express or freight, at purchaser's expense, 10 lbs. or more, at 25 cts. per lb.

## 1423 YELLOW ONION SETS

These will produce handsome, well-ripened bulbs of large size quite early in the summer.

Lb. 35 cts., postpaid. By express, 10 lbs. or more, at 23 cts. per lb.

## 1421 WHITE MULTIPLIER

Produces a large cluster of small to medium-sized onions from a single bulb, maturing early in the season, being ready for use even earlier than the *Extra-Early White Queen*. Can be planted in the fall for early bunch onions.

Lb. 35 cts., postpaid. By express or freight, 10 lbs. or more, at 26 cts. per lb.

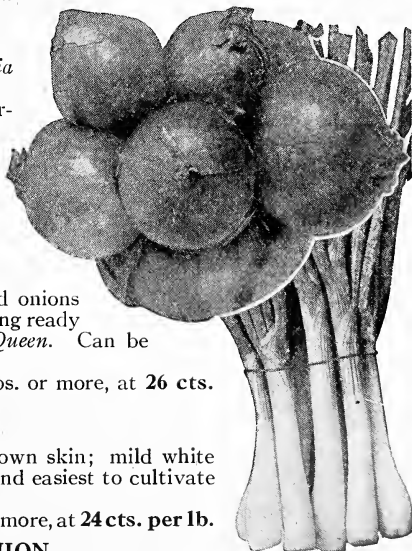
## 1417 POTATO ONION

Valuable for bunching or an early crop. Light-brown skin; mild white flesh. It is the earliest, most vigorous in growth, and easiest to cultivate of all onions from sets.

Lb. 35 cts., postpaid. By express or freight, 10 lbs. or more, at 24 cts. per lb.

## 1415 EGYPTIAN, OR PERENNIAL TREE ONION

These come up year after year. The bottoms divide, making several irregular shaped onions that are sweet and tender. The young sets grow on top of the stalks and can be planted in the fall. *We cannot supply these sets after March 1st.* Lb. 25 cts., postpaid. By express, 10 lbs. or more, at 13 cts. per lb.



Potato Onions  
make fine green onions  
for early spring

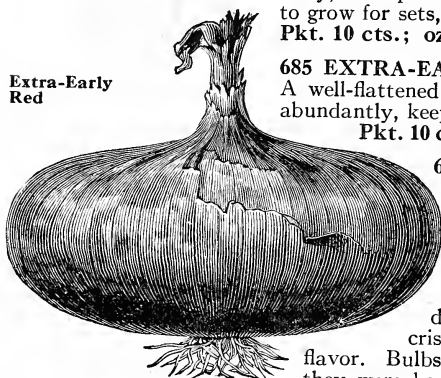
# ONIONS

Onions are one of the important vegetables and are highly prized for their tonic qualities. In order to grow large-sized bulbs the seeds are sown early in the spring where the plants are to mature. A good, moist, well-drained soil, which has been enriched with thoroughly rotted manure and well pulverized at the surface, will give the most satisfactory results. Cover the seed lightly. When the seedlings are three to four inches high, they are thinned out according to the size of the variety. Keep the bed weeded, and cultivate shallow during the growing season. When the bulbs have reached maturity, the tops will bend down and the roots must be harvested to prevent them from starting into new growth, making them unfit for winter keeping. Store in a dry, frost-proof room where fresh air circulates freely. Good onions always bring a high price, and it is of main importance to sow seed of well-known quality which has been carefully selected from only the best mother-bulbs.

## 677 YELLOW DUTCH, OR STRASSBURG

Similar to the *Yellow Danvers*; bulbs rather more flattened and of a darker skin. Quite early, with pure white flesh of mild flavor. It is one of the best to grow for sets, and is a splendid keeper. Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 30 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 90 cts.; lb. \$3.00, postpaid.

Extra-Early Red



## 685 EXTRA-EARLY RED

A well-flattened but quite deep, early red onion, which yields abundantly, keeps well, and is of mild flavor.

Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 35 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$1.00; lb. \$3.50, postpaid.

## 693 AUSTRALIAN BROWN

Extra early, a sure cropper, and extra long-keeping. The bulbs somewhat resemble the *Danvers* in size and form, but are thicker

through, thus yielding a larger crop in both bulk and weight, and mature earlier.

The skin is generally of a bright reddish brown, while the flesh is always white, crisp, extremely solid, and of sweet, mild

flavor. Bulbs have been kept in fine condition for a year after they were harvested.

AUSTRALIAN BROWN is most popular with growers in the Middle West and West, where onion bulbs there is no better seed offered on the market.

Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 35 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$1.00; lb. \$3.50, postpaid.

## 707 BURPEE'S MAMMOTH SILVER KING

This splendid large white onion was first introduced by us in 1884, and quickly became a leading popular sort to grow for market in many localities. The large bulbs are of attractive form, flattened, but quite thick through. Under good cultivation the average diameter is from five to seven inches, single bulbs often attaining a weight of from two to three pounds each. The thin skin is

a clear silvery white, flesh snow white, sweet, and tender. They grow quickly, mature quite early, and sell well in autumn and early winter.

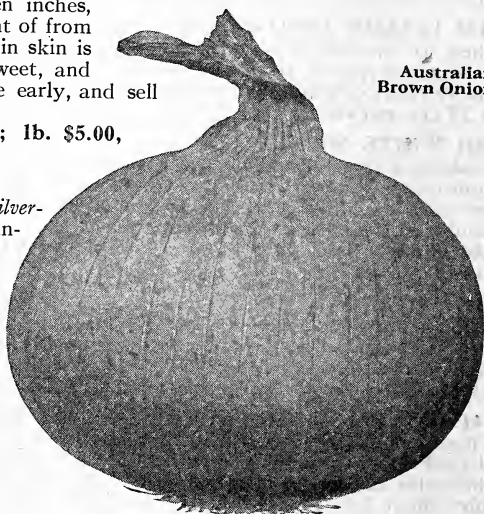
Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 50 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$1.50; lb. \$5.00, postpaid.

## 697 WHITE PORTUGAL

As now grown, the *Philadelphia White Silver-skin*, so extensively used for sets, is indistinguishable, therefore we retain only the original name, *White Portugal*. The bulbs grow to good size, ripening early and quite evenly. The flesh is mild and sweet, the thin skin a clear silvery white, of handsome appearance if the bulbs are gathered as soon as ripened and carefully dried under shelter, away from the strong sunlight. When seed is sown twenty-five pounds to the acre, it makes bulbs of suitable size and most desirable for pickling.

Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 40 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$1.20; lb. \$4.00, postpaid.

Australian Brown Onion



## Onions—Continued

### 669 YELLOW DANVERS

A good onion, both for the home garden and for market, combining reliability in ripening with large yield. It ripens more surely, as well as earlier, in moist locations than do the globe-shaped varieties. The thin-necked, flattened bulbs are quite thick through; light yellow skin; fine-grained, mild, white flesh. Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 30 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 85 cts.; lb. \$2.75, postpaid.

### 671 YELLOW GLOBE DANVERS

This is an old favorite—the standard variety for winter use in the eastern markets. It produces well-ripened bulbs, averaging two inches in diameter and nearly globe shaped. The skin is a light golden brown or pale yellow, and the flesh is pure white, crisp, and mild in flavor. The plants have very slender necks, and consequently the bulbs keep well over winter. They ripen up uniformly, which characteristic recommends the variety to market growers. Although not quite so truly globe shaped as the *Southport Yellow Globe Onion*, they are somewhat earlier. On account of their attractive shape and color and their excellent keeping qualities they always bring a good price in the markets.

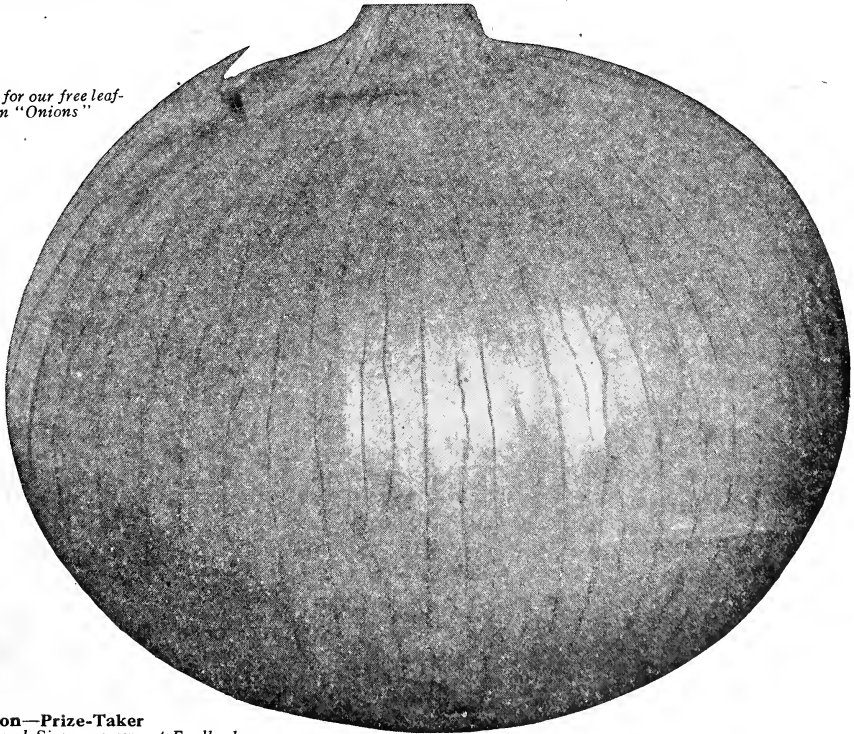
Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 30 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 90 cts.; lb. \$3.00, postpaid.

### 681 PRIZE-TAKER (American-Grown)

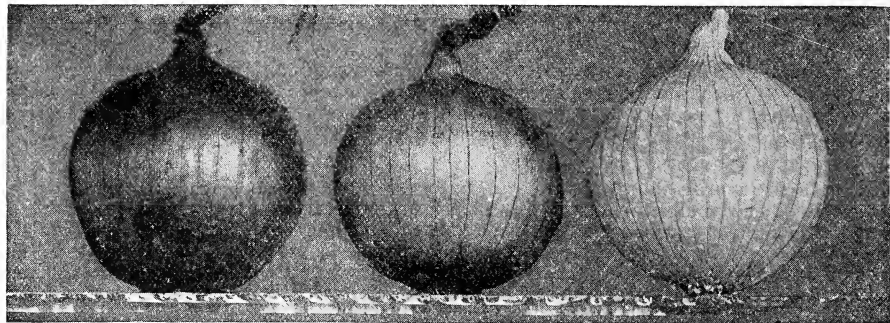
This is a most profitable variety to grow for early fall market, the bulbs being fully three times as large as those of the *Globe Danvers*, under ordinary cultivation, while under especially favorable conditions bulbs have frequently been raised weighing from 4 lbs. to 5½ lbs. each. Growing to such large size, it does not ripen until about four weeks later than the *Danvers*. While of strong growth, the plants are thin-necked and bulbs ripen very surely and evenly. The skin is thin, of a bright straw-yellow; the flesh is pure white, crisp, extremely sweet and mild in flavor. Because of their handsome appearance and fine quality, PRIZE-TAKERS sell readily at a higher price than others. It is from this variety that the large, light-brown onions sold in crates as *Spanish Onions* are grown, but our strictly *American-grown seed should not be confounded with the seed of this type, which is imported and sold at a lower price.* The latter not being suited to our climate, the bulbs continue longer in growth and do not ripen evenly. Our AMERICAN-GROWN PRIZE-TAKER is most satisfactory to grow from seed planted directly in the row, as very large bulbs are easily raised by this method and are equaled in size only by our new *Gigantic Gibraltar*. In dry seasons and light soil the bulbs ripen evenly and quite early, but do not attain such large size as in more favorable localities.

Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 40 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$1.15; lb. \$3.75, postpaid.

Ask for our free leaflet on "Onions"



Onion—Prize-Taker  
Natural Size, as grown at Fordhook



Red                      Yellow                      White  
 Southport Globe Onions—much reduced in size, from a Photograph.

## Southport Globe Onions

These **Southport Globe Onions** are uniformly thin-necked, insuring thorough ripening. Connecticut growers leave several inches of the dried stem on the bulbs when storing them for winter; this is not removed until the bulbs are cleaned for market.

### 679 SOUTHPORT YELLOW GLOBE

The true *Southport Yellow Globe* is particularly valuable for winter markets. The onions are of true globe shape and have a pale, straw-yellow skin. They produce large crops and are excellent keepers. The flavor is mild, while from their handsome appearance they sell readily in all markets. Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 35 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$1.00; lb. \$3.50, postpaid.

### 689 SOUTHPORT RED GLOBE

The handsomest and most richly colored of all red onions. The onions measure two and a half to three inches in diameter, and are remarkably uniform in size. The extra-dark, rich coloring makes a most attractive appearance when prepared for market. The plants are thin-necked, ripening down to a hard, solid ball, insuring the largest percentage of market onions and the best keeping qualities. Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 35 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$1.00; lb. \$3.50, postpaid.

### 695 SOUTHPORT WHITE GLOBE

Of true globe form, the onions are two to two and a half inches in diameter, with a thin, delicate skin of purest paper whiteness. The flesh is crisp, fine grained, snowy white in color, and very mild in flavor. Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 45 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$1.30; lb. \$4.25, postpaid.

## Foreign Onions

These Onions are all very popular in Europe, particularly in the Mediterranean countries. Seed is grown in Europe, and owing to the war, is very short crop.

### 701 WHITE QUEEN

Also known in the South as **White Pearl**. This is the **best of all for small pickles** and the *earliest ripening onion* in cultivation. The bulbs, of a pure paper-white, are generally very small, averaging only one and one-half inches in diameter; are most mild in flavor. Should be grown for early use and for pickling. Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 45 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$1.35; lb. \$4.50, postpaid.



### 705 GIANT WHITE ITALIAN TRIPOLI (EL PASO, or LARGE MEXICAN)

Bulbs large size and beautiful form, with pure white, pearly skin. Under good cultivation bulbs can be raised in a single season from seed, weighing from one to one and a half pounds. Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 50 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$1.50; lb. \$5.00, postpaid.

### 711 BURPEE'S GIGANTIC GIBLARTAR

The ripened bulbs are similar to those of the *Prize-Taker* in size and form. The leaves or blades are *deep green*, with a glossy surface, enabling it to withstand dry weather and the attacks of insect enemies. The handsome large bulbs are nearly globular in form. Thin skin, of light straw color; flesh white, tender, and mild. Pkt. 15 cts.; oz. 60 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$1.75; lb. \$5.75, postpaid.





680

## Burpee's Special Stock of Southport Yellow Globe Ⓞ

This Southport strain is famous wherever Onions are grown as the highest development in market Onions.

Burpee's Special Stock of Yellow Globe has been closely selected to a slender-necked plant, which insures earlier and surer ripening of the bulbs as well as the best keeping qualities.

Pkt. 15 cts.; oz. 60 cts.;  
1/4 lb. \$1.80; lb. \$6.00,  
postpaid.

696

## Burpee's Special Stock of Southport White Globe Ⓞ

Grown from the finest selected mother bulbs. Every care has been used to keep this Special Stock of White Globe up to the highest possible standard. These pure white bulbs are exceedingly attractive and always bring a high price in market.

Pkt. 15 cts.; oz. 80 cts.;  
1/4 lb. \$2.40; lb. \$8.00,  
postpaid.

690

## Burpee's Special Stock of Southport Red Globe Ⓞ

This Special Stock is produced from fine market Onions of the very best form and richest coloring. We recommend it as the best that can be produced and sure to yield a most satisfactory crop under favorable conditions.

Pkt. 15 cts.; oz. 60 cts.;  
1/4 lb. \$1.80; lb. \$6.00,  
postpaid.



WHITE  
ICICLE  
RADISH

BURPEE'S  
IMPROVED PURPLE-TOP  
YELLOW RUTA BAGA

RED TOP  
WHITE GLOBE TURNIP

SCARLET TURNIP  
WHITE TIP RADISH



# GARDEN TURNIPS

In the warmer States the early white-fleshed Turnips are most popular; in the colder northern States the yellow-fleshed Turnips and more solid Ruta Bagas are generally preferred. Turnips are fine winter keepers, and what is not required for the family makes an excellent stock food.

## 1155 EARLY WHITE FLAT DUTCH STRAP-LEAF

Entire bulb of a creamy white. Flesh of mild, sweet flavor and superior quality, being firm and crisp. A splendid variety for planting in the spring.

Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 20 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 55 cts.; lb. \$1.75.

## 1157 EARLY RED, OR PURPLE-TOP STRAP-LEAF

This is a standard early variety, and is surpassed in earliness only by the *Milan*.

Bulbs are quite flat, four to six inches in diameter, with small bunch of short, strap-leaved foliage. The upper portion of the bulb is of a deep purplish red, lower portion clear milky white. Flesh fine grained, sweet, and tender; single small tap-root.

Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 15 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 45 cts.; lb. \$1.50, postpaid.

## 1159 EARLY WHITE MILAN

Entire bulb of a soft creamy white. Small tops and with a single small tap-root. Flesh pure white, fine grained, sweet, and tender. The earliest white Turnip, very smooth and handsome.

Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 30 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 90 cts.; lb. \$3.00, postpaid.

## 1161 EXTRA-EARLY PURPLE-TOP MILAN STRAP-LEAF

This splendid new Turnip is the earliest in cultivation. The bulbs are flat, of medium size, smooth, with crisp white flesh of excellent flavor. The upper portion of the bulb is a rich purple, while the lower half is pure white.

Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 25 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 75 cts.; lb. \$2.50, postpaid.

## 1163 PURPLE-TOP WHITE GLOBE

The bulbs measure six inches and more in diameter, being of a perfect globe form; the upper portion is of rich purplish red, and the lower half is clear, creamy white. Flesh white, firm, and crisp, of mild flavor. It is an excellent keeper, and one of the best to grow for stock feeding. (See color illustration on page 32.)

Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 15 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 45 cts.; lb. \$1.50, postpaid.

## 1167 WHITE GLOBE STRAP-LEAF

A large, round or ball-shaped Turnip, averaging six inches in diameter, with smooth white skin. Flesh pure white, firm and crisp, and of excellent flavor.

Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 20 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 55 cts.; lb. \$1.75, postpaid.

## 1169 WHITE EGG

A splendid table variety, growing to a good size and of finest quality. Skin clear white; most attractive in appearance when washed for market. The flesh is fine grained and of mild, sweet flavor.

Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 20 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 55 cts.; lb. \$1.75, postpaid.

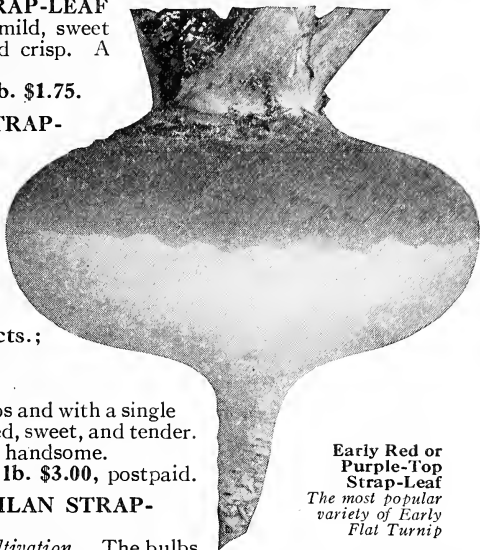
## 1173 LONG WHITE, OR COWHORN

Slender, tapering roots, six to eight inches in length, measuring one and a half to two inches in diameter. The roots grow half their length above the surface, and are pure white, with crisp, sweet flesh. Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 25 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 75 cts.; lb. \$2.50, postpaid.

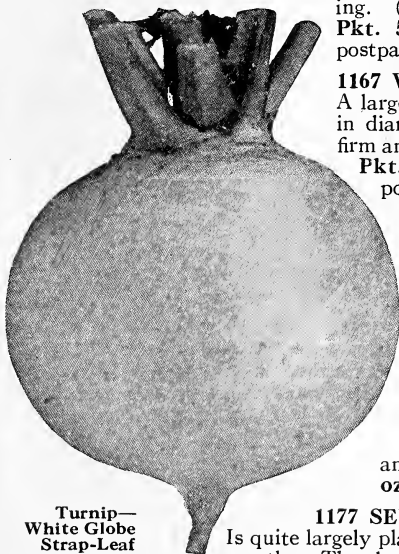
## 1177 SEVEN TOP

Is quite largely planted in the South for green forage during the winter months. The plants do not produce edible roots, but are of strong growth, with abundant green foliage. In some sections Turnips are planted to make a green crop to turn under to enrich the soil, and this variety is one of the best for the purpose.

Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 15 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 45 cts.; lb. \$1.50, postpaid.



Early Red or  
Purple-Top  
Strap-Leaf  
The most popular  
variety of Early  
Flat Turnip

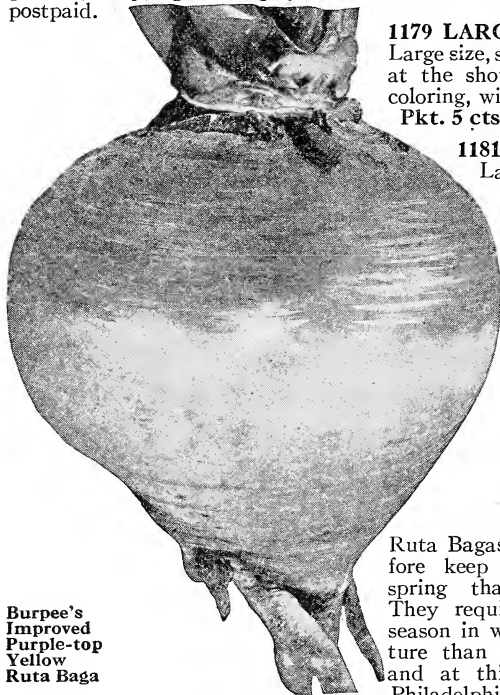


Turnip—  
White Globe  
Strap-Leaf

# Yellow-Fleshed Turnips

## 1185 PETROWSKI

The sweetest and earliest of all. Roots are flat, smooth, deep orange-yellow. Flesh fine grained, crisp, light orange-yellow. Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 25 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 75 cts.; lb. \$2.50, postpaid.



Burpee's  
Improved  
Purple-top  
Yellow  
Ruta Baga

## 1179 LARGE YELLOW OR AMBER GLOBE

Large size, smooth, oval bulbs which are thick and broad at the shoulder. Skin smooth and of a pale amber coloring, with rich, creamy-yellow flesh.

Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 15 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 45 cts.; lb. \$1.50.

## 1181 YELLOW ABERDEEN

Later and larger than the preceding. The roots are large, smooth, and of perfect globe form, with rich yellow skin and flesh; of excellent quality. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 10 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 30 cts.; lb. \$1.00, postpaid.

## 1183 GOLDEN BALL, OR ORANGE JELLY

Perfectly globe-shaped roots with rich orange-colored skin; smooth and regular. The flesh is of a pale amber tint; firm, fine grained. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 20 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 55 cts.; lb. \$1.75, postpaid.

# RUTA BAGAS

## SWEDES, OR RUSSIAN TURNIPS

Ruta Bagas are more solid, of firmer flesh, and therefore keep longer into spring than Turnips. They require a longer season in which to mature than do Turnips, and at this latitude, Philadelphia,

seed should be sown from the first to the middle of July to make large bulbs for winter keeping. Ask for our free leaflet on "Root Crops."

## 1191 BURPEE'S IMPROVED PURPLE-TOP YELLOW

Produces large, smooth, globe-shaped roots of rich purplish coloring in the upper portion and a deep yellow below the soil. The bulbs are broad and smoothly round at the top; free from any long, hard neck. Productive, yielding an immense weight of crop, and will keep in fine condition until quite late in the spring. Flesh richly colored, fine grained, and very sweet. (See color illustration on page 32.) Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 20 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 60 cts.; lb. \$2.00, postpaid.



## 1194 GOLDEN NECKLESS

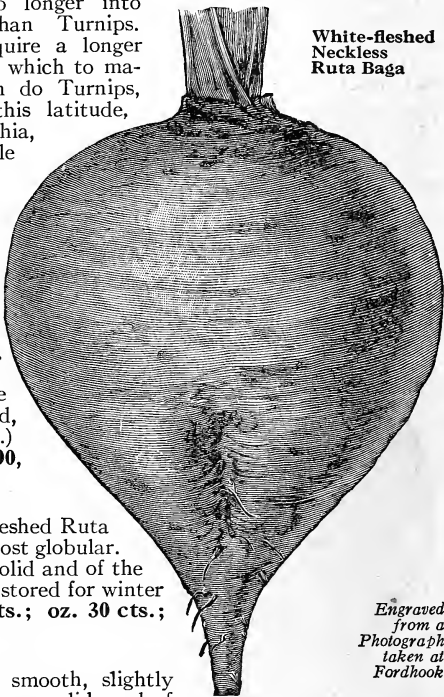
We consider this variety the best of all yellow-fleshed Ruta Bagas. The roots grow to large size and are almost globular. The finely grained yellow flesh is remarkably solid and of the finest quality. The small necked roots are easily stored for winter and keep well until late in the spring. Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 30 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 90 cts.; lb. \$3.00, postpaid.

## 1196 WHITE-FLESHED NECKLESS

Skin and flesh are white. It forms perfectly smooth, slightly elongated, globe-shaped roots of great weight, very solid, and of choice quality, both for table use and for cattle feeding. A splendid keeper. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 20 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 60 cts.; lb. \$2.00, postpaid.

## 1197 LARGE WHITE

Bulbs of large size, with creamy-white skin; fine globe-shaped. Flesh hard, crisp, and of sweet flavor. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 20 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 60 cts.; lb. \$2.00, postpaid.



White-fleshed  
Neckless  
Ruta Baga

Engraved  
from a  
Photograph  
taken at  
Fordhook

# Edible Seeds

Of the four main groups of vegetables, the Edible Seeds are without question the most valuable from the viewpoint of their food content. Peas and Beans are both legumes and have a very high content of protein. Sweet Corn is rich in both starch and sugar. This group may be called the "Vegetable Beefsteak" because of the highly concentrated nature of the food they contain.

## PEAS

The peas rank among the most "aristocratic" of all our vegetables. Their food value is exceedingly high, and the flavor, especially in the newer and improved varieties, is beyond comparison. To provide a continuous supply the hardier round-seeded varieties are sown in spring as soon as the ground is fit. For later sowings the wrinkled seeded kinds are preferred on account of their superior flavor, but they are less hardy. Succession sowings should be made at intervals of ten to fourteen days.

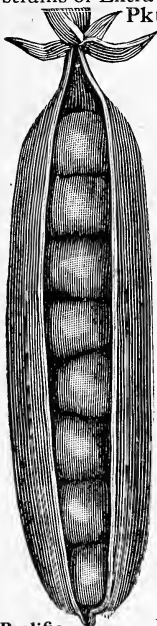
### 731 BURPEE'S BEST EXTRA-EARLY Ⓞ

This superb PEDIGREE strain excels all other extra-early smooth peas ever offered. The vines are quite slender, of very quick growth, and average eighteen to twenty-four inches in height. The pods are well filled, and the entire crop can be gathered generally in one picking. **Pkt. 15 cts.; ½ lb. 30 cts.; lb. 55 cts.; 5 lbs. \$2.50, postpaid.** By express, 10 lbs. or more, at 40 cts. per lb.

### 737 PROLIFIC EXTRA-EARLY Ⓞ

A large-podded Extra-Early, bearing more pods to the plant than regular strains of Extra-Earlies. The vines average twenty-four inches high.

**Pkt. 15 cts.; ½ lb. 30 cts.; lb. 55 cts.; 5 lbs. \$2.50, postpaid.** By express, 10 lbs. or more, at 40 cts. per lb.



### 739 ALASKA

Also called "*Earliest of All!*" The vines grow from twenty to thirty inches in height, bearing well-filled, medium-sized pods. Matures practically the entire crop *all at one time*. Most popular first-early pea for canning. **Pkt. 10 cts.; ½ lb. 30 cts.; lb. 50 cts.; 5 lbs. \$2.25, postpaid.** By express, 10 lbs. or more, at 35 cts. per lb.

### 740 BURPEE'S EXTRA-EARLY DESPATCH Ⓞ

The best first-early round-seeded variety. The crop is ready one week ahead of *Gradus*, and the pods almost approach it in size, averaging three and one-half inches in length and contain eight or nine fine peas of excellent flavor. Three feet high.

**Pkt. 15 cts.; ½ lb. 30 cts.; lb. 55 cts.; 5 lbs. \$2.50, postpaid.** By express, 10 lbs. or more, at 40 cts. per lb.

### 742 EXTRA-EARLY PILOT Ⓞ

The pods and peas are nearly as large as those of *Gradus*, and are produced three days earlier. They can be planted much earlier than *Gradus*, and while not wrinkled, the peas are almost equal in flavor. Three feet high.

**Pkt. 15 cts.; ½ lb. 30 cts.; lb. 55 cts.; 5 lbs. \$2.50, postpaid.** By express, 10 lbs. or more, at 40 cts. per lb.

### 745 EXTRA-EARLY GRADUS Ⓞ

Also called "Prosperity" Pea. The best early wrinkled pea in existence. The vine has heavy stems, with large, light-green leaves, and grows three feet high, bearing large pods, from four to four and a half inches in length, well filled with very large peas of the finest flavor. **Pkt. 15 cts.; ½ lb. 35 cts.; lb. 60 cts.; 5 lbs. \$2.75, postpaid.** By express, 10 lbs. or more, at 45 cts. per lb.

Prolific  
Extra-Early

### 746 THOS. LAXTON Ⓞ

This is a real rival to the famous *Gradus*. The growth is identical, but the pods are a deeper, richer green and square at the end. In the judgment of experts, THOS. LAXTON is even sweeter and finer in flavor. Four days later than *Gradus*. **Pkt. 15 cts.; ½ lb. 35 cts.; lb. 60 cts.; 5 lbs. \$2.75, postpaid.** By express, 10 lbs. or more, at 45 cts. per lb.

### 751 AMERICAN WONDER

Of extremely dwarf growth, only eight to ten inches high, this is a few days later than *Alaska*. The pods, while of small size, are filled with luscious, large peas. **Pkt. 15 cts.; ½ lb. 35 cts.; lb. 60 cts.; 5 lbs. \$2.75, postpaid.** By express, 10 lbs. or more, at 45 cts. per lb.



Gradus

# PEAS—Continued

## 754 BURPEE'S EXTRA-EARLY BLUE-BANTAM ◯

The Best First-Early Dwarf Wrinkled Pea. It is unequalled for combination of extreme earliness, superb quality, and unusual productiveness. The dwarf vigorous vines average fifteen inches in height and carry really enormous crops of large, deep bluish-green pods. The pods measure four to four and one-half inches long and are tightly packed with eight to ten large, deep bluish-green peas of *most luscious flavor*.

Pkt. 15 cts.; ½ lb. 35 cts.; 1b. 65 cts.; 5 lbs. \$3.00, postpaid. By express, 10 lbs. or more, at 50 cts. per lb.

## 749 PREMIUM GEM

Improved Strain of McLEAN'S LITTLE GEM. Of dwarf growth, maturing early. The vines grow from twelve to fifteen inches in height, and are very productive; pods two and a half to three inches long, round, and well filled with peas of delicious flavor. Pkt. 15 cts.; ½ lb. 30 cts.; 1b. 55 cts.; 5 lbs. \$2.50, postpaid. By express, 10 lbs. or more, at 40 cts. per lb.

## 748 MARVELOUS

A dwarf variety of outstanding merit. The vines average 12 inches in height. The pods are produced in pairs, perfectly straight. They average three and one-quarter inches in length by three-quarters of an inch deep, and usually contain eight rich green peas of delicious flavor. In season it matures about the same time as *Little Marvel*, being ready for picking only a few days following the extra-early round seeded sorts. Pkt. 15 cts.; ½ lb. 35 cts.; 1b. 65 cts.; 5 lbs. \$3.00, postpaid. By express, 10 lbs. or more, at 50 cts. per lb.

## 753 LITTLE MARVEL ◯

The vines average fifteen inches in height and are heavily set with fine pods, frequently borne in pairs. The pods average two and one-half inches; well filled with six or seven large peas.

Pkt. 15 cts.; ½ lb. 35 cts.; 1b. 60 cts.; 5 lbs. \$2.75, postpaid. By express, 10 lbs. or more, at 45 cts. per lb.

## 792 DISCOVERY ◯

An extremely prolific and most thoroughbred second-early wrinkled pea of superb quality. The pods are dark green, borne in pairs, five to six inches long and filled with 9 to 10 large and sweet peas. Pkt. 15 cts.; ½ lb. 35 cts.; 1b. 65 cts.; 5 lbs. \$3.00, postpaid. By express, 10 lbs. or more, at 50 cts. per lb.

## 755 NOTT'S EXCELSIOR ◯

This is a very fine, highly bred variety of close, compact, dwarf growth, with quite large pods; fully one-third larger than those of the *American Wonder*, and maturing almost equally as early. Pods average three inches in length, are well filled to the ends with peas of large size and unusually sweet flavor. So closely are the peas packed in the pods that they are flattened against each other at the sides, as in the *Potato Limas*. Pkt. 15 cts.; ½ lb. 35 cts.; 1b. 60 cts.; 5 lbs. \$2.75, postpaid. By express, 10 lbs. or more, at 45 cts. per lb.

## 758 SENATOR ◯

Prolific variety, bearing large pods containing seven to ten peas. Pkt. 15 cts.; ½ lb. 30 cts.; 1b. 55 cts.; 5 lbs. \$2.50, postpaid. By express, 10 lbs. or more, at 40 cts. per lb.

## 765 BURPEE'S PROFUSION ◯



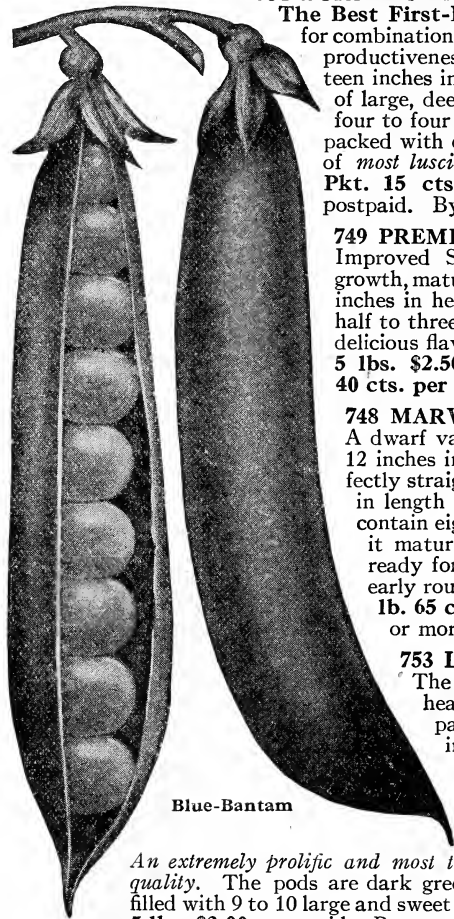
Vines three feet in height and branching freely. The pods are borne in pairs; they measure three and a half inches in length, closely filled with seven to nine large, luscious peas. Pkt. 15 cts.; ½ lb. 30 cts.; 1b. 55 cts.; 5 lbs. \$2.50, postpaid. By express, 10 lbs. or more, at 40 cts. per lb.

## 769 BLISS'S EVERBEARING

Fine variety, bearing a great number of pods filled with large peas. Pkt. 15 cts.; ½ lb. 35 cts.; 1b. 60 cts.; 5 lbs. \$2.75, postpaid. By express, 10 lbs. or more, at 45 cts. per lb.

## 789 STRATAGEM

Pods of large size, well filled with large, dark-green peas of rich, sweet flavor. Pkt. 15 cts.; ½ lb. 35 cts.; 1b. 60 cts.; 5 lbs. \$2.75, postpaid. By express, 10 lbs. or more, at 45 cts. per lb.



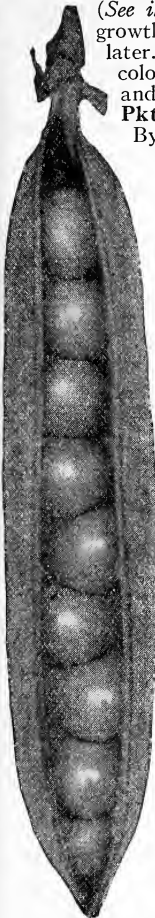
Blue-Bantam

**783 BOSTON UNRIVALED ☉**

An improved strain of the popular *Telephone*. Vines nearly five feet high, and covered with fine large pods. The pods are five inches long by three-quarters of an inch broad, each containing seven or eight very large peas. The flavor of **BOSTON UNRIVALED** is unusually sweet.  
**Pkt. 15 cts.; ½ lb. 35 cts.; lb. 60 cts.; 5 lbs. \$2.75, postpaid.** By express, 10 lbs. or more, at **45 cts. per lb.**

**785 ALDERMAN ☉**

(See illustration of a natural size pod, from a photograph.) Similar in growth and appearance to *Boston Unrivalled*, maturing about five days later. The haulm grows five feet in height and is of a rich, dark-green coloring. Pods frequently measure nearly six inches in length and contain eight or nine very large peas of superior flavor.  
**Pkt. 15 cts.; ½ lb. 35 cts.; lb. 60 cts.; 5 lbs. \$2.75, postpaid.** By express, 10 lbs. or more, at **45 cts. per lb.**



Alderman

**793 CARTER'S DAISY, OR DWARF TELEPHONE**

The vines, though growing only about eighteen inches in height, are very stout, and generally bear a good crop of large, well-filled pods. The pods average five inches in length, containing seven to nine large, light-green peas.  
**Pkt. 15 cts.; ½ lb. 30 cts.; lb. 55 cts.; 5 lbs. \$2.50, postpaid.** By express, 10 lbs. or more, at **40 cts. per lb.**

**799 CHAMPION OF ENGLAND**

The strong growing vines measure four to five feet high. The fine large pods are filled with large peas of delicious flavor.  
**Pkt. 15 cts.; ½ lb. 30 cts.; lb. 55 cts.; 5 lbs. \$2.50, postpaid.** By express, 10 lbs. or more, at **40 cts. per lb.**

**800 DWARF CHAMPION ☉**

This is a dwarf-growing strain of the *Champion of England*, producing a fine crop of delicious, large size peas.  
**Pkt. 15 cts.; ½ lb. 30 cts.; lb. 55 cts.; 5 lbs. \$2.50, postpaid.** By express, 10 lbs. or more, at **40 cts. per lb.**

**767 DUKE OF ALBANY**

A most valuable variety of the *Telephone* type, producing dark-green pods of large size, well filled with extra-large sweet peas. Three feet in height.  
**Pkt. 15 cts.; ½ lb. 35 cts.; lb. 60 cts.; 5 lbs. \$2.75, postpaid.** By express, 10 lbs. or more, at **45 cts. per lb.**

**773 TELEPHONE**

The plants grow on an average from four to five feet tall and produce pods of very large size, measuring from four to five inches long, crowded with six to seven large size peas of delicious flavor.  
**Pkt. 15 cts.; ½ lb. 35 cts.; lb. 60 cts.; 5 lbs. \$2.75, postpaid.** By express, 10 lbs. or more, at **45 cts. per lb.**

**786 BRITISH WONDER ☉**

The vines grow fifteen to eighteen inches high and produce an abundance of dark-green peas of luscious flavor. A most reliable variety and a sure cropper.  
**Pkt. 15 cts.; ½ lb. 35 cts.; lb. 60 cts.; 5 lbs. \$2.75, postpaid.** By express, 10 lbs. or more, at **45 cts. per lb.**

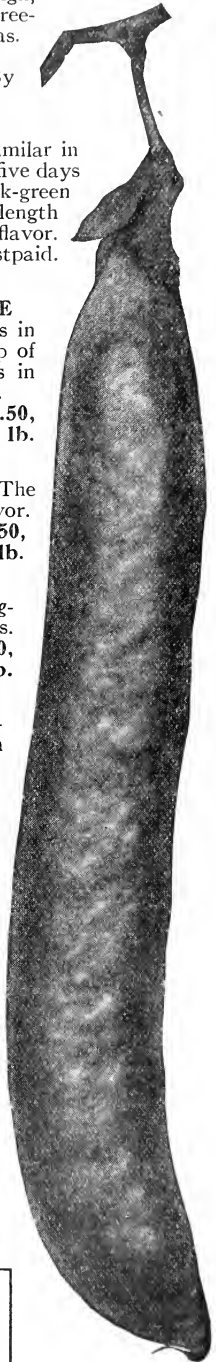
**784 QUITE CONTENT ☉**

This is the *largest podded pea in existence*. The haulm attains a height of five and one-half to six feet. The pods are *truly gigantic in size*, measuring from five to six and one-half inches in length.  
**Pkt. 15 cts.; ½ lb. 35 cts.; lb. 60 cts.; 5 lbs. \$2.75, postpaid.** By express, 10 lbs. or more, at **45 cts. per lb.**



**GARDEN PEAS ARE VERY SCARCE**

This has been the worst season in years for the raising of seed peas. The drought in the pea-growing sections, particularly in the northwest, where we produce Burpee's Garden Peas, has almost annihilated the crop. In some places the seed did not germinate on account of drought, in others the vines were burned before they were a foot high. There is a uniform shortage. Place your orders early—we shall take care of as many of our customers as possible.



Quite Content

# PEAS—Marrowfats and Edible-Podded

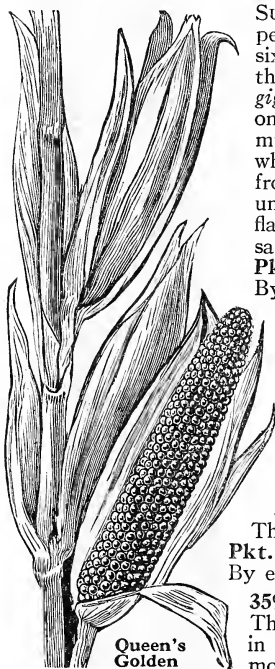
*White Marrowfat* and *Black-Eyed Marrowfat* are very old sorts, strong growing and immensely productive, but of very poor flavor, having vines four to five feet in height and producing a large crop of pods. Compared with choice garden peas they are not "fit to eat"! In the *Edible-Podded* or *SUGAR PEAS* the pods are gathered, broken, and cooked like string-beans when the peas start to develop in the pod or have reached about half their full size. Of these sorts, the *Dwarf Sugar* grows about eighteen inches in height, producing a heavy crop of small flat pods about three inches in length. *Mammoth Melting Sugar* has vines four feet in height, producing very large, broad, flattened pods of a waxen-yellow.

Variety	Postpaid	Pkt.	½ lb.	Lb.	5 lbs.
<b>807 Dwarf White Marrowfat</b>					
By express, 10 lbs. or more, at 30 cts. per lb.....		\$0 10	\$0 25	\$0 45	\$2 00
<b>809 Black-Eyed Marrowfat</b>					
By express, 10 lbs. or more, at 30 cts. per lb.....		10	25	45	2 00
<b>811 Dwarf Gray Sugar</b>					
By express, 10 lbs. or more, at 35 cts. per lb.....		10	30	50	2 25
<b>815 Mammoth Melting Sugar ☉</b>					
By express, 10 lbs. or more, at 40 cts. per lb.....		15	30	55	2 50

## 814 GIANT SUGAR-SWORD ☉

*SUGAR-SWORD* has delighted all lovers of the popular edible-podded peas. The vines are most vigorous in growth, attaining a height of six to seven feet, branching freely; when given sufficient support, they present a striking sight. The sword-shaped pods are truly *gigantic in size*, measuring six to seven inches in length by one to one and a half inches in breadth. They are of a pale green color, very much twisted, and the two halves are lying close together except where the peas fill in. The inside of the pods of *Sugar Peas* is free from the hard and tough skin which makes the pods of other peas unfit for human food. *GIANT SUGAR-SWORD* is *surpassingly delicious* in flavor. Broken and boiled like string-beans and served with butter sauce they make a "dish fit for a king"!

**Pkt. 15 cts.; ½ lb. 35 cts.; 1 lb. 65 cts.; 5 lbs. \$3.00, postpaid.**  
By express, 10 lbs. or more, at 50 cts. per lb.



## POP CORN

### 353 QUEEN'S GOLDEN ☉

Stalks grow six feet high, with large ears produced in abundance. It pops perfectly white, and a single kernel will expand to a diameter of nearly one inch.

**Pkt. 10 cts.; ½ lb. 20 cts.; 1 lb. 35 cts.; 5 lbs. \$1.50, postpaid.** By express, 10 lbs. or more, at 20 cts. per lb.



### 355 WHITE RICE

The most popular, widely known variety.

**Pkt. 10 cts.; ½ lb. 20 cts.; 1 lb. 30 cts.; 5 lbs. \$1.25, postpaid.**  
By express, 10 lbs. or more, at 17 cts. per lb.

### 359 CALIFORNIA YELLOW

The stalks do not usually throw out suckers, but are stout, four feet in height, thickly set with leaves. Each stalk produces three or more ears which are from two to three inches in length, with rice-like grains of a light golden-yellow.

**Pkt. 10 cts.; ½ lb. 20 cts.; 1 lb. 35 cts.; 5 lbs. \$1.50, postpaid.** By express, 10 lbs. or more, at 20 cts. per lb.

## EARLY ADAMS CORN

This is not a sweet or sugar corn, and the distinction should be kept carefully in mind by gardeners. Because of exceptional hardiness, it is used largely in the Southern States as well as in some of the cooler northern sections for an extra-early planting of table corn. While the dry grain is smooth and hard, the young grain when at the proper stage for table use is tender, milky, and quite sweet flavored. The stalks are of strong, robust growth, well set with leaves, and the ears are protected by a stout, heavy husk which comes well out over the tip of the ear.

### 345 EXTRA-EARLY ADAMS

This is of dwarf growth, six to seven feet in height, with two thick, medium-sized ears, and is a week to ten days earlier than any other table corn. **Pkt. 10 cts.; ½ lb. 20 cts.; 1 lb. 35 cts.; 5 lbs. \$1.50, postpaid.** By express, 10 lbs. or more, at 20 cts. per lb.



# SWEET CORN

## Early and Second Early Varieties

### 302 BURPEE'S EARLIEST CATAWBA Ⓞ

Resembles our famous *Golden Bantam* in dwarf growth and extreme earliness, but differs in coloring and flavor. Grown singly in long rows the plants sucker freely and then frequently bear as many as four or five good ears from a single seed. It produces uniformly handsome ears, from six to seven inches long, rather slender, and just the right size to eat from the cob, which is well filled to the tip with eight rows of broad grains.



When ready for use, the grains are pearly white, slightly flushed with rose pink, but in the dry seed the color is the exact counterpart of a fine Catawba grape—a dark rich purple shaded with rose. The small cob is white. Some growers pronounce it even more tender and more deliciously sweet than the popular favorite, *Golden Bantam*. Pkt. 15 cts.; ½ lb. 30 cts.; 1b. 55 cts.; 5 lbs. \$2.50, postpaid. By express, 10 lbs. or more, at 40 cts. per lb.

### 305 EARLY FORDHOOK Ⓞ

This is one of the largest-eared extra earlies, the ears averaging six to seven inches in length. It is two to three days earlier than the *Cory*, of better flavor, and has both grains and cob of pure white coloring. The ears are eight-rowed, with quite small cob and deep grains.



Pkt. 10 cts.; ½ lb. 25 cts.; 1b. 45 cts.; 5 lbs. \$2.00, postpaid. By express, 10 lbs. or more, at 30 cts. per lb.

### 309 WHITE-COB CORY

A well-known early variety of fine quality. The grains retain their pearly whiteness when cooked.

Pkt. 10 cts.; ½ lb. 25 cts.; 1b. 40 cts.; 5 lbs. \$1.75, postpaid. By express, 10 lbs. or more, at 25 cts. per lb.

### 311 BURPEE'S EARLY COSMOPOLITAN

This variety matures only a few days later than *Cory* or *Early Fordhook*. The stalks grow five to six feet high.



The ears are of most handsome appearance, seven to nine inches long, with ten or more rows of large grains. The cob is pure white and the ear is well filled, the grains at the top making a round end to the ear.

Pkt. 10 cts.; ½ lb. 25 cts.; 1b. 40 cts.; 5 lbs. \$1.75, postpaid. By express, 10 lbs. or more, at 26 cts. per lb.

### 313 EARLY MINNESOTA

A standard early variety of strong growth. Ears larger than *Cory* and matures before the *Crosby*. Eight rows.

Pkt. 10 cts.; ½ lb. 25 cts.; 1b. 40 cts.; 5 lbs. \$1.75, postpaid. By express, 10 lbs. or more, at 25 cts. per lb.

### 315 CROSBY'S EARLY Ⓞ

**Twelve-Rowed.** A favorite second-early variety; ears about seven inches long, with ten or twelve rows of fine grains of excellent quality. Used for canning.

Pkt. 10 cts.; ½ lb. 25 cts.; 1b. 40 cts.; 5 lbs. \$1.75, postpaid. By express, 10 lbs. or more, at 25 cts. per lb.

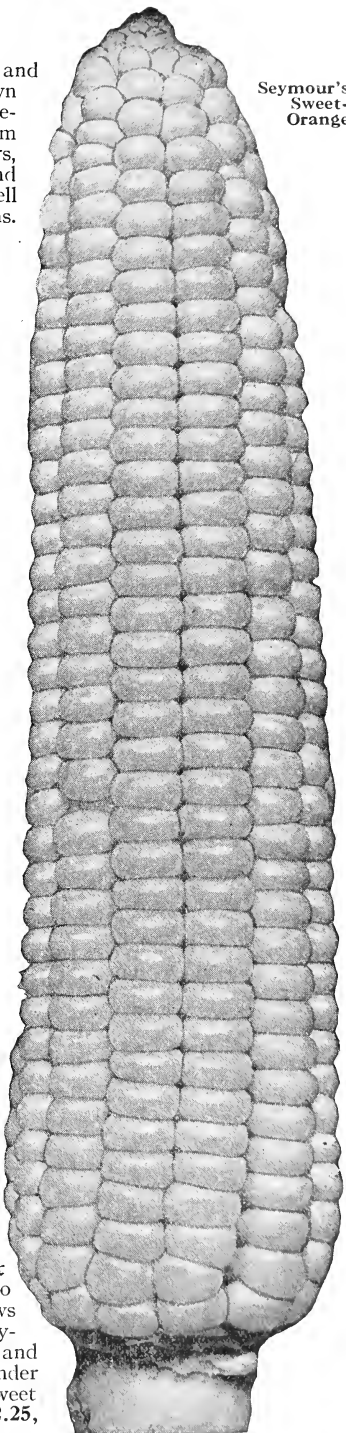
### 314 SEYMOUR'S SWEET-ORANGE Ⓞ

A most desirable second-early or midseason variety, from six to seven feet in height, and producing an average of two good ears to a stalk. Five days to a week later than those of the *Golden Bantam*, and from six to seven inches in length, with twelve or fourteen rows of deep, rather slender grains of a light canary-yellow. Of strong growth, with ears well filled and grains exceptionally sweet. The grains remain soft and tender for a longer period than those of any other second-early Sweet Corn.



Pkt. 10 cts.; ½ lb. 30 cts.; 1b. 50 cts.; 5 lbs. \$2.25, postpaid. By express, 10 lbs. or more, at 35 cts. per lb.

Seymour's  
Sweet-  
Orange





## Midseason Varieties

### 333 BURPEE'S WHITE EVERGREEN ☉

(See illustration.) The most widely grown and finest of all midseason varieties for the home garden or canning. Compared with *Stowell's Evergreen* the ears are fully as large, but it matures about five days earlier. The large grains are closely set in rows around a small core and very deep. Its most valuable feature, however, is the extreme whiteness of the grains. The flavor is remarkably sweet. It retains its sweetness and pure white color when put up in cans, as distinct from the yellowish tinge found in the still popular *Stowell's Evergreen*. Pkt. 10 cts.; ½ lb. 25 cts.; 1 lb. 45 cts.; 5 lbs. \$2.00, postpaid. By express, 10 lbs. or more, at 30 cts. per lb.



### 335 STOWELL'S EVERGREEN

The leading main-crop variety for home use, market, and canning. Our stock is carefully selected. The grains, of good size, are long and slender, entirely free from glaze or flintiness. The variety is well known and widely grown on account of its sweetness and good canning properties. We prefer *Burpee's White Evergreen*. Pkt. 10 cts.; ½ lb. 25 cts.; 1 lb. 40 cts.; 5 lbs. \$1.75, postpaid. By express, 10 lbs. or more, at 25 cts. per lb.

### 337 COUNTRY GENTLEMAN ☉

A cross of the *Ne Plus Ultra* with *Stowell's Evergreen*, producing a larger ear than the former, but retaining its productiveness, similar fine quality, and irregular "shoe-peg" arrangement of the crowded, slender, deep grains. The ears, being so much larger than those of the original type, are more desirable in most localities as a market variety.

Pkt. 10 cts.; ½ lb. 25 cts.; 1 lb. 40 cts.; 5 lbs. \$1.75, postpaid. By express, 10 lbs. or more, at 25 cts. per lb.

### 329 GOLDEN GIANT

A cross between *Burpee's Golden Bantam* and *Burpee's Howling Mob*, combining the distinct buttery flavor of its most delicious yellow parent with the size of its white parent. In season it follows *Golden Bantam*. A strong grower and very productive.

Pkt. 15 cts.; ½ lb. 35 cts.; 1 lb. 65 cts.; 5 lbs. \$3.00, postpaid. By express, 10 lbs. or more, at 50 cts. per lb.

### 340 BLACK MEXICAN

A medium-early variety, growing about six feet in height; ears eight inches long, well filled with eight rows of large, rather flat grains, which are a bluish purple, of deliciously sweet flavor.

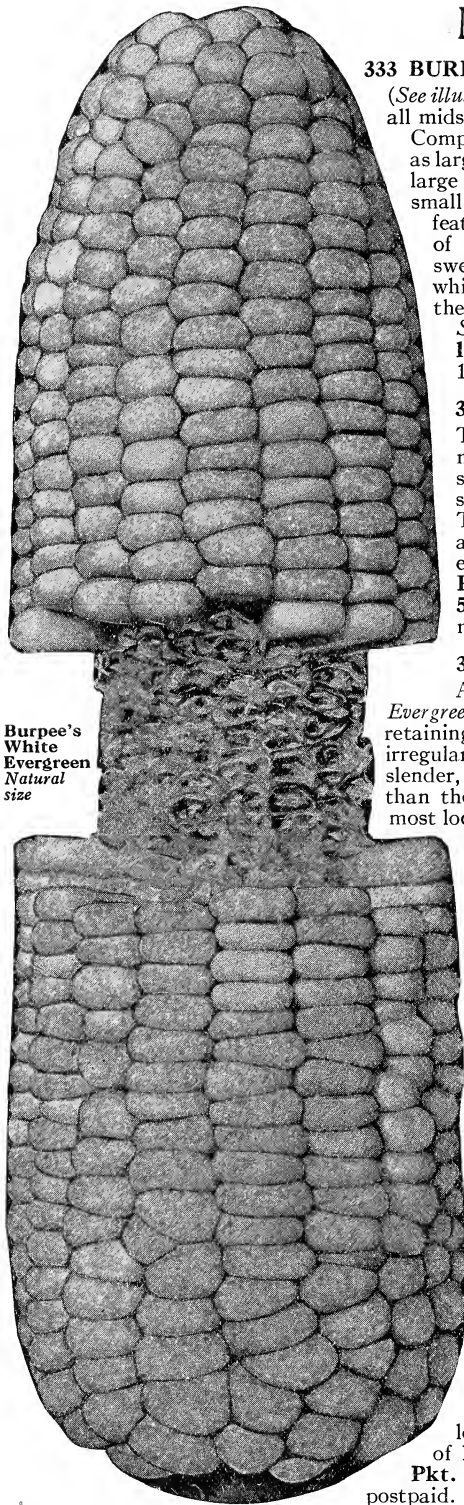
Pkt. 10 cts.; ½ lb. 30 cts.; 1 lb. 50 cts.; 5 lbs. \$2.25, postpaid. By express, 10 lbs. or more, at 35 cts. per lb.

### 328 KENDEL'S EARLY GIANT

A second-early variety, several days earlier than *Crosby*. Ears average seven inches in length, thick through, with ten or twelve rows of large grains of rich, sugary flavor.

Pkt. 10 cts.; ½ lb. 25 cts.; 1 lb. 40 cts.; 5 lbs. \$1.75, postpaid. By express, 10 lbs. or more, at 25 cts. per lb.

Burpee's  
White  
Evergreen  
Natural  
size





## THE TWO BEST SWEET CORNS

310

### Burpee's Howling Mob Sweet Corn ☉

When this new Corn was first offered at market by the originator, it became so popular that crowds gathered about his stand. Really a mob howled for this delicious Corn and so it was named Howling Mob.

Howling Mob is one of the best-flavored and most tender of all medium-early white Sweet Corns. The ears of Howling Mob measure 7 to 9 inches in length, with 12 or 14 rows of large, pearly white grains. Howling Mob usually produces two large ears to a stalk. It is very productive and it is the earliest white Sweet Corn of really high quality. Howling Mob is by far the best of its class.

Pkt. 15 cts.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. 35 cts.;  
lb. 60 cts.; 5 lbs. \$2.70, post-  
paid. By express, 10 lbs.,  
or more, at 42 cts. per lb.

301

### Burpee's Golden Bantam ☉

The most famous Sweet Corn in the world, introduced by Burpee eighteen years ago. It is, without question, the richest and sweetest of all varieties of Sweet Corn. The plants are dwarf, only 4 feet high, and carry two ears on a stalk. Golden Bantam is extra early, and plantings can be made a week or ten days earlier than with the less hardy varieties of white Sweet Corn.

Pkt. 15 cts.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. 35 cts.;  
lb. 60 cts.; 5 lbs. \$2.70, post-  
paid. By express, 10 lbs., or  
more, at 42 cts. per lb.



BURPEE'S  
STRINGLESS  
GREEN-POD

BURPEE'S  
BRITTLE WAX

### 10 Burpee's Stringless Green-Pod ☉

This famous Snap Bean, first named and introduced by us twenty-seven years ago, is still unequaled. It combines unusual hardness, extreme earliness, and wonderful productiveness. It is a Bean of handsome appearance and finest quality. The pods are rich green, almost round, and gracefully formed. They are tender, brittle, of fine texture, and absolutely stringless, even when fully grown.

Pkt. 10 cts.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. 25 cts.; lb. 45 cts.;  
5 lbs. \$2.00, postpaid. By express,  
10 lbs., or more, at 30 cts. per lb.

### 33 Burpee's Brittle Wax ☉

The earliest of all Wax Beans. Brittle Wax is of such superb quality that it might almost be called "Best of All." The bushes are remarkably hardy and very prolific. The handsome, round, fleshy pods are stringless and tender.

Brittle Wax has already "made a record" with its superb quality, extreme earliness, and great productiveness. It is entirely stringless at all stages of growth.

Pkt. 15 cts.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. 35 cts.; lb. 60 cts.;  
5 lbs. \$2.70, postpaid. By express, 10 lbs., or  
more, at 42 cts. per lb.

# BEANS

The Bush Bean varieties are the earliest to bear. The newer and improved varieties are practically stringless, and compare most favorably with the older kinds, which have stout and tough strings. Snap Beans must be eaten young, before the seeds attain any size, or they will lose much of their fine flavor. Shell Beans have played, since hundreds of years, a most important part as a stable food. Lima Beans are quite sensitive to cold and moist weather and cannot be sown until the soil has warmed up and the weather has fully settled. The Bush Lima Beans mature considerably earlier, but do not produce the quantity of pods as the pole lima beans.

## Green-Pod Bush Beans

Beans are tender, and the seed cannot be sown until the weather is quite warm about the time the maples are well out in leaf. For a continuous supply make succession sowings every ten to fourteen days up to August 10th.

### 13 EARLY BOUNTIFUL

Of thrifty growth and very hardy. The stringless and tender, flat green pods are produced very early in the season and the bush continues in bearing for a long time. **Pkt. 10 cts.; ½ lb. 25 cts.; 1b. 40 cts.; 5 lbs. \$1.75, postpaid.** By freight or express, 10 lbs. or more, at **25 cts. per lb.**

### 14 EXTRA-EARLY RED VALENTINE ◉

(Improved Round-Pod Strain.) Plants are of dwarf, compact bush growth, fifteen to eighteen inches high, very prolific; they are hardy and early in maturing. Pods are four inches long, sharply pointed, round, and very fleshy, being deeply *saddle-backed*, brittle even when fully grown. **Pkt. 10 cts.; ½ lb. 25 cts.; 1b. 40 cts.; 5 lbs. \$1.75, postpaid.** By express, 10 lbs. or more, at **25 cts. per lb.**

### 15 BLACK VALENTINE

Popular in the South on account of its blight-resisting qualities. Matures early, producing long, round, straight pods. **Pkt. 10 cts.; ½ lb. 25 cts.; 1b. 40 cts.; 5 lbs. \$1.75, postpaid.** By express, 10 lbs. or more, at **25 cts. per lb.**

### 17 ROUND YELLOW SIX WEEKS

A fine strain, having quite fleshy pods, which are brittle and tender. It is early, of fine, rich flavor, and very productive. **Pkt. 10 cts.; ½ lb. 25 cts.; 1b. 40 cts.; 5 lbs. \$1.75, postpaid.** By express, 10 lbs. or more, at **25 cts. per lb.**

### 19 REFUGEE, OR 1000 TO 1

True bush growth, fifteen inches in height. The pods are nearly round, pale green, five inches long, tapering to a slender point; quite solidly fleshy, brittle, and mild in flavor, but with slight strings; of handsome appearance and fine flavor. Rather later than the other green-podded sorts, but extremely prolific.

**Pkt. 10 cts.; ½ lb. 25 cts.; 1b. 40 cts.; 5 lbs. \$1.75, postpaid.** By express, 10 lbs. or more, at **25 cts. per lb.**

### 23 GIANT STRINGLESS GREEN-POD

This is about a week later than the *Extra-Early Valentine* and makes an excellent succession to *Burpee's Stringless Green-Pod* when planted at the same time. The plants are of a strong growth; pods slightly curved, quite meaty, being

Refugee, or  
1000 to 1

broadly rounded and saddle-backed; brittle and stringless at all stages.

**Pkt. 10 cts.; ½ lb. 25 cts.; 1b. 40 cts.; 5 lbs. \$1.75, postpaid.** By express, 10 lbs. or more, at **25 cts. per lb.**

◉ A BULL'S EYE is used to mark those varieties which we consider the best of their respective types. Whichever variety you order, you can rely upon obtaining the choicest strains that have been produced for planting in 1920.

Giant  
Stringless  
Green-Pod

## Green-Podded Bush Beans—Continued

### 22 BURPEE'S FORDHOOK FAVORITE ☉

The bushes grow eighteen to twenty inches high, are very vigorous, and remarkable for their prolific character. The leaves are bright dark green. The pods measure from five and one-half to six and one-half inches long; they are one-half inch wide and half an inch thick, so full and fleshy that they are almost perfectly round. They are brittle, juicy, and entirely stringless at all stages of growth. The seed, being white, can be used for dried beans in the winter.



*The seed of Burpee's Fordhook Favorite is difficult to grow and the supply for this year is again very short.*  
Pkt. 20 cts.; ½ lb. 40 cts.; 1b. 75 cts.

### 20 KEENEY'S STRINGLESS REFUGEE ☉

The smooth, handsome pods, nearly round in form, average about five and a quarter inches long; of a light-green color, they are brittle, tender, fleshy, and absolutely stringless at all stages of growth. *Unequaled for canning.*

Pkt. 10 cts.; ½ lb. 25 cts.;

1b. 45 cts.;

5 lbs. \$2.00,

postpaid. By express, 10 lbs. or more, at 32 cts. per lb.

## Shell-Beans

These are grown exclusively to use as shell-beans, either green or dried for winter.

### 25 ROBUST PEA BEAN

A much improved strain of the popular, small, white baking bean, which originated at the Michigan Agricultural Experiment Station. Very highly recommended by

the New York State bean growers on account of its heavy yielding and disease resistant qualities. Experiments have shown that it is immune from the dangerous mosaic disease and also highly resistant to root rot. Our stock is grown from the original strain and especially selected for high yield. Pkt. 10 cts.; ½ lb. 25 cts.; 1b. 45 cts.; 5 lbs. \$2.00, postpaid. By express, 10 lbs. or more, at 32 cts. per lb.

### 26 DWARF HORTICULTURAL

Used for both snap and green-shell purposes. The pods are four and a half to five inches long, stout, flat, almost straight, practically stringless when young. The dried seeds are almost round, light buff, spotted with deep red. Extensively used for winter shell-beans. Pkt. 10 cts.; ½ lb. 20 cts.; 1b. 35 cts.; 5 lbs. \$1.50, postpaid. By express, 10 lbs. or more, at 26 cts. per lb.

### 28 RED KIDNEY

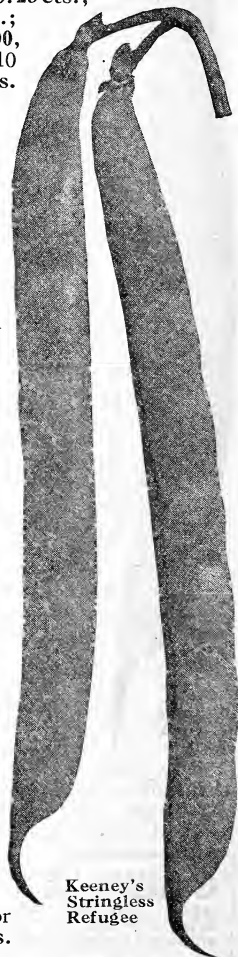
The pods are five and a half to six inches long, produced in great number on strictly dwarf bushes eighteen to twenty inches high. The seeds are typically kidney shaped, of a light shade of red. Pkt. 10 cts.; ½ lb. 20 cts.; 1b. 35 cts.; 5 lbs. \$1.50, postpaid. By express, 10 lbs. or more, at 26 cts. per lb.

### 29 WHITE MARROWFAT

A popular sort for dry-shell purposes. Plants dwarf, with a tendency to run. Dry seeds, veiny white. Pkt. 10 cts.; ½ lb. 20 cts.; 1b. 35 cts.; 5 lbs. \$1.50, postpaid. By express, 10 lbs. or more, at 26 cts. per lb.

### 30 WHITE NAVY, OR BOSTON PEA BEAN

The well-known small-seeded pure white beans, extensively grown for dry winter beans. Pkt. 10 cts.; ½ lb. 20 cts.; 1b. 30 cts.; 5 lbs. \$1.25, postpaid. By express, 10 lbs. or more, at 21 cts. per lb.



Keeney's  
Stringless  
Refugee



# Wax-Pod Bush Beans

## 44 BURPEE'S KIDNEY WAX ☉

More robust in growth and more prolific than *Wardwell's Kidney Wax*, with longer pods, entirely stringless, more fleshy, and of much finer quality. The plants are of erect bush habit, reaching eighteen to twenty inches in height. Even during wet summers the foliage is entirely free from blight, while the pods are free from rust. The fleshy pods are flattened in form, from six to seven inches in length, one-half inch broad, and three-eighths of an inch thick; the color is a rich lemon-yellow. The pods are remarkable for their meatiness, fine flavor, brittleness, and absolute freedom from strings. When marketed, they present a better appearance, while the most casual snapping of sample pods will quickly demonstrate their superior quality.

Pkt. 15 cts.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. 30 cts.; 1b. 50 cts.; 5 lbs. \$2.25, postpaid. By express, 10 lbs. or more, at 36 cts. per lb.

## 48 PENCIL-POD BLACK WAX ☉

Plants of true bush growth, fifteen inches high, extremely productive; magnificent straight pods, six to seven inches long, light golden yellow in color, beautifully rounded, meaty, and deeply *saddle-backed*; flesh brittle, solid, and entirely stringless, of a fine mild flavor.

Pkt. 10 cts.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. 25 cts.; 1b. 40 cts.; 5 lbs. \$1.80, postpaid. By express, 10 lbs. or more, at 30 cts. per lb.

## 49 SURE CROP STRINGLESS WAX ☉

A most prolific cropper and of superlative quality. The handsome, rich yellow pods are slightly curved, averaging six to seven inches in length, almost round, half an inch wide, very meaty and sweet, and perfectly stringless at all stages. The habit of the plant is freely branching, but perfectly sturdy and upright, every branch carrying a heavy crop of the magnificent pods.

Pkt. 15 cts.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. 30 cts.; 1b. 50 cts.; 5 lbs. \$2.25, postpaid. By express, 10 lbs. or more, at 36 cts. per lb.

## 50 BURPEE'S SADDLEBACK WAX ☉

The plants are of strong bush growth, fifteen inches in height; extremely productive. The pods are long, nearly straight, well rounded. They are always stringless, of a rich golden yellow and finest flavor, while the flesh between the beans is *solid meat without any open spaces*.

Pkt. 10 cts.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. 25 cts.; 1b. 40 cts.; 5 lbs. \$1.80, postpaid.

By express, at purchaser's expense: 10 lbs. or more, at 30 cts. per lb.

## 55 BURPEE'S STRINGLESS WHITE WAX ☉

*The first hardy White-seeded Wax Bean of really choice quality!*

The beans, being pure white, present the most attractive appearance when cooked.

*The pods remain tender longer than those of any other variety, and the plants continue in*

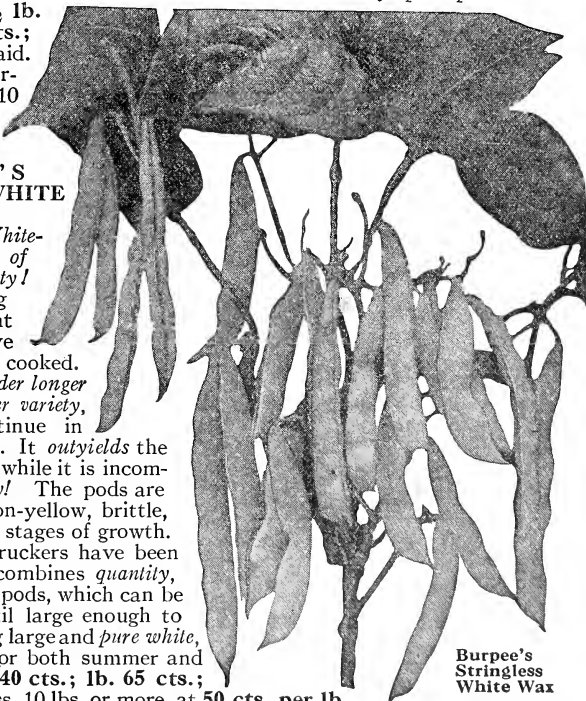
bearing for a long period. It *outyields* the prolific *Davis' White Wax*, while it is incomparably *superior in quality!* The pods are straight, of a bright lemon-yellow, brittle, and *entirely stringless* at all stages of growth.

It is what canners and truckers have been seeking for years, as it combines *quantity, quality, and beauty* in the pods, which can be used as a string-bean until large enough to shell, while the seeds, being large and *pure white*,

are most desirable as shell-beans for both summer and winter use. Pkt. 20 cts.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. 40 cts.; 1b. 65 cts.; 5 lbs. \$3.00, postpaid. By express, 10 lbs. or more, at 50 cts. per lb.



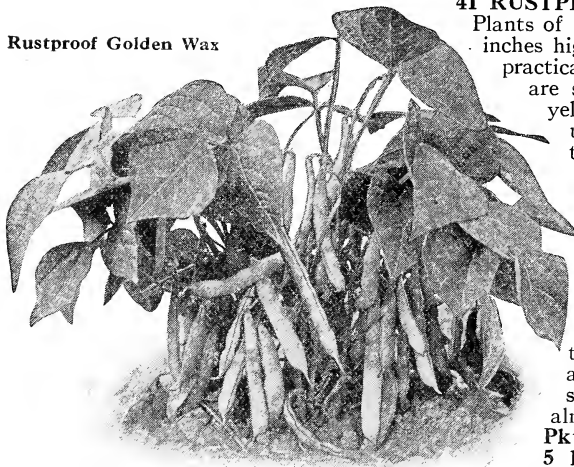
Burpee's Kidney Wax



Burpee's  
Stringless  
White Wax

# WAX-POD BUSH BEANS

Rustproof Golden Wax



## 41 RUSTPROOF GOLDEN WAX

Plants of typical bush growth, ten to twelve inches high, producing a good crop of stout, practically straight pods. The young pods are stringless, brittle, of a good lemon-yellow color slightly tinged green. The upright growth of the plant holds the pods well above the soil.

Pkt. 10 cts.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. 25 cts.; lb. 40 cts.; 5 lbs. \$1.80, postpaid. By express, 10 lbs. or more, at 28 cts. per lb.

## 45 WARDWELL'S KIDNEY WAX

An early and productive variety, making a strictly dwarf, somewhat spreading growth, twelve to fourteen inches high. The long pods are almost straight, flat, with a very short point. They are clear yellow, almost stringless, fleshy, and brittle.

Pkt. 10 cts.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. 25 cts.; lb. 40 cts.; 5 lbs. \$1.80, postpaid. By express, 10 lbs. or more, at 28 cts. per lb.

## 51 HODSON WAX

Enormously productive and very hardy, but lacks brittleness. The pods are large, golden-yellow, very uniform, perfectly straight, of fair quality. Suitable for shipping to distant markets. Pkt. 10 cts.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. 25 cts.; lb. 40 cts.; 5 lbs. \$1.80, postpaid. By express, 10 lbs. or more, at 28 cts. per lb.

## 54 STRINGLESS REFUGEE WAX ☉

A vigorous, productive, resistant variety of good quality. The plants are dwarf, with runner-like branches. The pods measure four and a half to five inches in length and are gracefully curved. Slightly stringy, of light-yellow color. Pkt. 15 cts.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. 30 cts.; lb. 50 cts.; 5 lbs. \$2.25, postpaid. By express, 10 lbs. or more, at 34 cts. per lb.

## 56 DAVIS' WHITE WAX

A valuable market-garden variety, since the pods mature at practically the same time. They are uniformly large, perfectly straight, symmetric, and attractive. The plants are thirteen to fifteen inches high, erect, compact, and stocky. The plants come into bearing quite early and produce a good crop of the clear yellow, greenish-tinged pods. The quality is fair. Pkt. 15 cts.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. 30 cts.; lb. 50 cts.; 5 lbs. \$2.25, postpaid. By express, 10 lbs. or more, at 34 cts. per lb.



**POSTPAID**—Wherever we offer seeds and bulbs at a price "postpaid," we will send them to you by mail with no extra charge for postage.

**BY EXPRESS**—Where larger quantities are offered "by express," we do not pay transportation charges. We will ship by freight or express collect, or, if you wish the order to go by parcel post, you must tell us so and include enough extra with your cash remittance to cover postage charges.



# Pole or Running Beans

These are of strong running growth, and need stout poles on which to climb. They require a longer season in which to mature than do the bush varieties, but by reason of their stronger growth are more productive and, growing on poles, are more easily gathered. Several varieties are desirable as shell-beans.

## 72 KENTUCKY WONDER, OR OLD HOMESTEAD ☉

The pods, seven to nine inches long, are so fleshy that they are *greater in width than breadth*, being deeply creased or *saddle-backed*. They are solidly meaty, stringless when young, and of finest quality.

Pkt. 10 cts.; ½ lb. 20 cts.; lb. 35 cts.; 5 lbs. \$1.50, postpaid.  
By express, 10 lbs. or more, at 26 cts. per lb.

## 73 BURGER'S STRINGLESS GREEN-POD ☉

(See illustration to right.) In some sections this is called *White-seeded Kentucky Wonder*. The pods average six to eight inches in length, are uniformly straight, of a rich dark green, and so meaty as to be really *saddle-backed*. The pods are entirely stringless. Beans pure white. Pkt. 10 cts.; ½ lb. 25 cts.; lb. 40 cts.; 5 lbs. \$1.75, postpaid. By express, 10 lbs. or more, at 30 cts. per lb.

## 74 WHITE CREASEBACK

Pods grow in clusters and are from five to six inches in length, perfectly round, being deeply creased or *saddle-backed*. They are solidly fleshy, entirely stringless, and of fine quality. The dry seed is white. Pkt. 10 cts.; ½ lb. 20 cts.; lb. 35 cts.; 5 lbs. \$1.50, postpaid. By express, 10 lbs. or more, at 26 cts. per lb.

## 75 LAZY WIFE'S

Pods from four and a half to six inches in length. They are broad and stringless. Each pod contains from six to eight round white beans. Pkt. 10 cts.; ½ lb. 25 cts.; lb. 40 cts.; 5 lbs. \$1.75, postpaid. By express, 10 lbs. or more, at 30 cts. per lb.

## 78 MCCASLAN POLE BEAN

The pods, produced in great abundance, are of a rich dark-green color, measuring ten inches long, rather flat and slightly curved. Fine for use as a snapshort, being entirely stringless when young. If pods are picked before maturing, vines bear until frost.

If the pods are allowed to mature, they produce a good-sized white bean for winter use—many of the pods contain as many as ten fine beans. Pkt. 15 cts.; ½ lb. 30 cts.; lb. 50 cts.; 5 lbs. \$2.25, postpaid. By express, 10 lbs. or more, at 40 cts. per lb.

## 79 GOLDEN CLUSTER

Extra strong in growth and very productive. The pods are of large size, seven to eight inches long by three-quarters of an inch wide. Although flat, the pods, of a *rich golden yellow*, are stringless and of excellent flavor. The dry seeds are thick and pure white.

Pkt. 10 cts.; ½ lb. 25 cts.; lb. 45 cts.; 5 lbs. \$2.00, postpaid.

## 81 WHITE DUTCH CASE KNIFE

Bears large flat pods early in the season. Being white-seeded, it is excellent to grow dry shell-beans for winter.

Pkt. 10 cts.; ½ lb. 20 cts.; lb. 35 cts.; 5 lbs. \$1.50, postpaid.  
By express, 10 lbs. or more, at 26 cts. per lb.

## 83 HORTICULTURAL (Cranberry or Wren's Egg)

A popular old variety for either snapshorts or dry shell-beans, especially adapted for short seasons and cool locations.

Pkt. 10 cts.; ½ lb. 20 cts.; lb. 35 cts.; 5 lbs. \$1.50, postpaid.  
By express, 10 lbs. or more, at 26 cts. per lb.

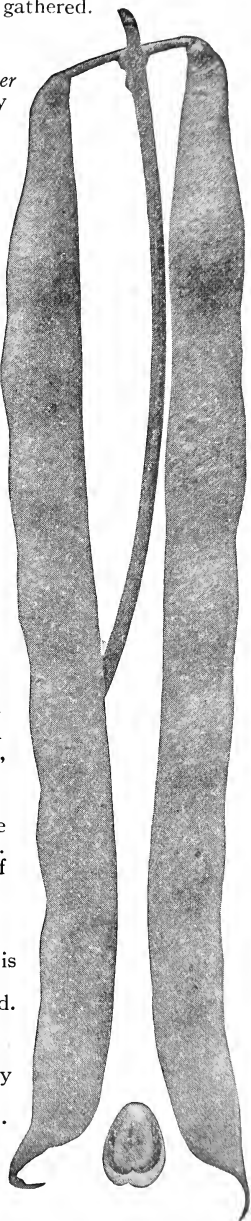
## 87 SCARLET RUNNER

Plants are of strong, quick growth, bearing large sprays of *bright scarlet, pea-like* flowers. When fully ripened, the dry beans are of bright scarlet, heavily blotched with purple.

Pkt. 10 cts.; ½ lb. 25 cts.; lb. 40 cts.; 5 lbs. \$1.75, postpaid.  
By express, 10 lbs. or more, at 30 cts. per lb.

## 91 YARD LONG

This is an interesting curiosity. In Pennsylvania and farther south it will in ordinary seasons produce late in the summer a large crop of the long, slender, round pods which are of excellent quality for snapshorts. The round pods average *two feet or more in length*, having the thickness of a lead-pencil. Pkt. 20 cts.; ½ lb. 60 cts.; lb. \$1.00, postpaid.



Burger's Stringless  
Green-Pod Pole Bean

# Pole Lima Beans

## Large-Seeded Varieties

### 98 BURPEE'S GIANT-PODDED Ⓞ

**Largest Podded and Heaviest Cropper of all Pole Lima Beans.** The pods are truly gigantic in size, frequently measuring from seven to eight and one-half inches in length by from one and a half to nearly two inches in width. The beans are extra large and thicker than any other Pole Lima, excepting only those of the Potato Lima type; they are invariably of finest flavor. BURPEE'S GIANT-PODDED excels all other Limas in vigor of growth. The vines grow so rapidly that they quickly cover the poles. In rich ground we would recommend planting only two or three seeds to a hill and thinning out to one plant. The pods, borne in clusters of from four to eight, stand out well from the foliage, and are very easy to pick. **Pkt. 15 cts.; ½ lb. 30 cts.; 1b. 45 cts.; 5 lbs. \$2.00, postpaid.** By express, 10 lbs. or more, at **35 cts. per lb.**



### 96 EARLY LEVIATHAN Ⓞ

**This is the very earliest.** It will not only give large Lima Beans earlier than any other strain, but is also extremely productive, both early and throughout the season. It is a strong grower, clinging well to the poles, and is a *sure cropper*. The pods differ from those of other early Pole Limas in being *straighter* and *longer*. The pods hang out from the foliage in large clusters and contain three or four and sometimes *five large beans to the pod*. **Pkt. 10 cts.; ½ lb. 25 cts.; 1b. 40 cts.; 5 lbs. \$1.75, postpaid.** By express, 10 lbs. or more, at **30 cts. per lb.**

### 99 KING OF THE GARDEN

A strong grower and uniformly large podded. The pods frequently contain five or six very large beans. These beans are of excellent quality, easily shelled; of large size and handsome appearance. **Pkt. 10 cts.; ½ lb. 25 cts.; 1b. 40 cts.; 5 lbs. \$1.75, postpaid.** By express, 10 lbs. or more, at **30 cts. per lb.**

### 101 CHALLENGER, OR "POTATO" LIMA

Vines are very productive, but pods mature later than the large flat sorts. The pods are produced in large clusters, and average three to four inches in length; they are quite thick, containing three to five beans, the ends of which are flattened by being crowded closely together. They are of excellent flavor. **Pkt. 10 cts.; ½ lb. 25 cts.; 1b. 40 cts.; 5 lbs. \$1.75, postpaid.** By express, 10 lbs. or more, at **30 cts. per lb.**

## Small-Seeded Varieties

Highly esteemed throughout the South as "*Butter Beans*," and well worth growing North, as they are hardy, early, and extremely productive. Also make good winter shell-beans.

### 103 CAROLINA, SIEVA, OR SEWEE

(The "*Butter Bean*" of the South.) These grow quickly, mature early, are immensely productive, and continue in bearing throughout the season. The vines are slender, with rather small, shiny, dark-green leaves.

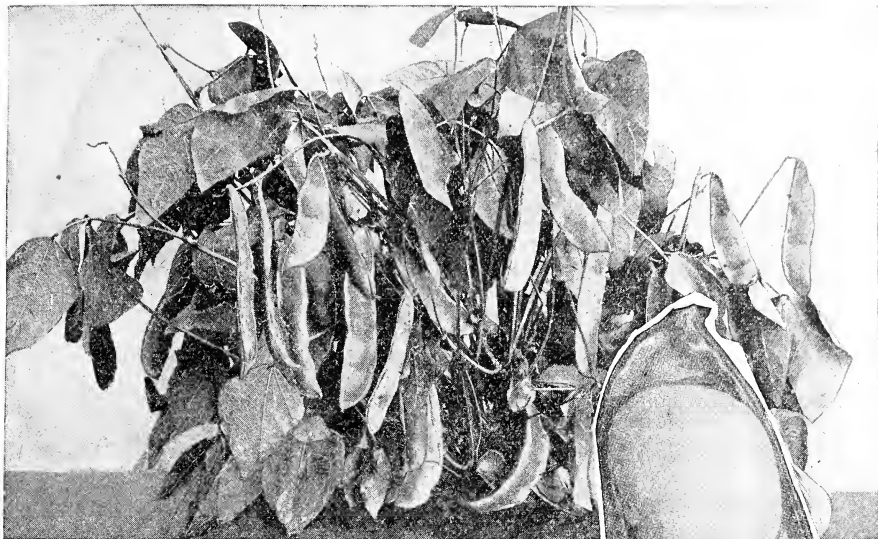
**Pkt. 10 cts.; ½ lb. 25 cts.; 1b. 40 cts.; 5 lbs. \$1.75, postpaid.** By express, 10 lbs. or more, at **30 cts. per lb.**

**THE BURPEE TRADE MARK** has been used throughout Burpee's Annual to designate varieties which were first introduced in America by Burpee. Never have we introduced a variety until we had proved its marked superiority. Our trial grounds at Fordhook Farms, the largest of the kind in America, enable us to keep in the lead. Everything, new or old, is tested and proved there before we offer it.



A Pod of  
Burpee's  
Giant-Podded  
Pole Lima Bean

# Dwarf or Bush Lima Beans



A Plant of the Burpee-Improved Bush Lima—from a Photograph

## 63 BURPEE-IMPROVED BUSH LIMA

The pods are truly enormous in size, borne abundantly and well filled with handsome beans which are both larger and thicker than those of the popular Burpee's Bush Lima—and fully eight days earlier! It differs from the best strains of *Burpee's Bush Lima* in having much larger pods while producing more beans. Both pods and beans are not only larger in size, but also considerably thicker. The growth is even more vigorous, with heavier foliage. Full-grown bushes measure thirty inches in height and twenty-four inches across the top.



Pods are borne frequently in what might be called "clusters" of from five to eight. Pods measure five to six inches long by one and one-quarter inches wide. Full size beans are of luscious flavor. Pkt. 15 cts.; ½ lb. 30 cts.; 1b. 50 cts.; 5 lbs. \$2.25, postpaid. By express, 10 lbs. or more, at 35 cts. per lb.

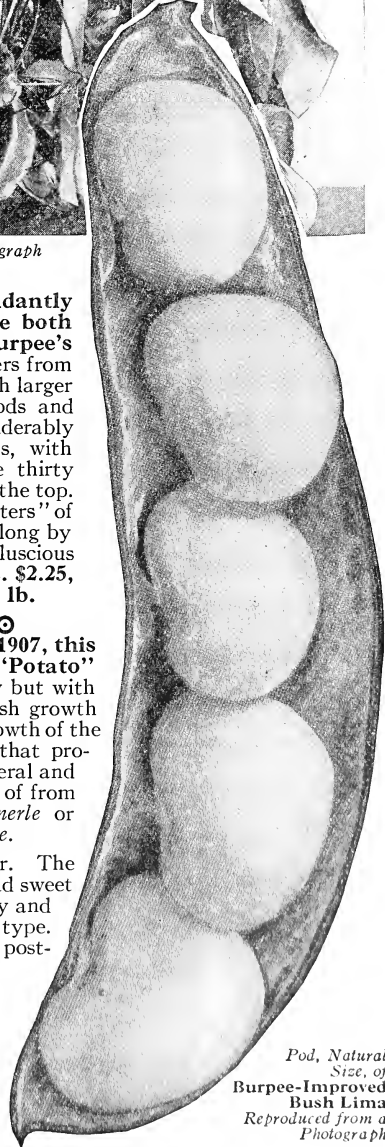
## 65 BURPEE'S FORDHOOK BUSH LIMA BEAN

First named and introduced exclusively by us in 1907, this is the only stiffly erect Bush form of the popular "Potato" Lima. Bushes of stiffly erect habit, branching freely but with all the branches held upright. This ideal bush growth is strikingly in contrast to the low-spreading growth of the *Kumerle* or *Dreer's Bush Lima*. The stalks that produce the blossoms are thrown out from the lateral and main stalks; the pods are borne in "clusters" of from four to eight. The pods resemble those of the *Kumerle* or *Dreer's Bush Lima*, but average more than double the size.



FORDHOOK is in season from four to six days earlier. The green beans, even when of full size, are tender, juicy, and sweet in flavor when cooked—as distinct from the rather dry and mealy character of other varieties of the *Potato Lima* type. Pkt. 15 cts.; ½ lb. 35 cts.; 1b. 60 cts.; 5 lbs. \$2.75, postpaid. By express, 10 lbs. or more, at 45 cts. per lb.

Bush Limas are of comparatively recent introduction. With this new type the range for growing Lima Beans has been greatly increased, since they mature three to four weeks earlier than the pole varieties. Write for our free "Bean Leaflet."



Pod, Natural Size, of Burpee-Improved Bush Lima  
Reproduced from a Photograph

## Dwarf or Bush Lima Beans—Continued

### 60 BURPEE'S BUSH LIMA

This comes absolutely true from seed, and the only reason the *Bull's-eye* [Q] is omitted is because the new *Burpee-Improved* is a better variety of similar type. The bushes grow eighteen to



twenty inches high, of stout growth and always erect, yet branching so vigorously that each plant develops into a magnificent circular bush from two to three feet in diameter. It is an immense yielder. This is the original *Dwarf Large Lima* as first introduced exclusively by us in 1890. The pods and beans, however, are not so large nor are the bushes so prolific as the new and distinct *Burpee-Improved*.

Pkt. 15 cts.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. 25 cts.; 1b. 45 cts.; 5 lbs. \$2.00, postpaid. By express, 10 lbs. or more, at 32 cts. per lb.

## Small-Seeded Bush Limas

When *Henderson's Bush Lima Bean* was first introduced, in 1889, Mr. Palmer, an experienced trucker of Chester County, came into our Philadelphia office quite indignant one day, saying, "Why, that is no Lima at all—I have a *real Bush Lima*," and so he had. After trial we gladly purchased what is today famous throughout the

world as *Burpee's Bush Lima*, the first dwarf large Lima Bean. But we want to explain to others, as we did then to Mr. Palmer, that there are two types of flat Lima Beans, that under this heading being the *Small Lima*, *Carolina*, *Sieva*, or *Sewee* type, highly esteemed throughout the South as "*Butter Beans*," and also well worth growing North, as they are hardier, earlier, and immensely productive. They also make good winter shell-beans.

### 67 HENDERSON'S BUSH LIMA

This is the small-podded very early

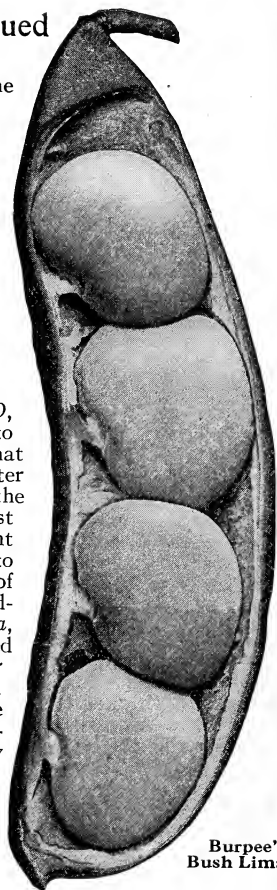
*Sieva* or *Butter Bean* of the South, growing in compact bush form. The pods and beans (of good flavor), being so small, involve more labor in shelling.

Pkt. 10 cts.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. 25 cts.; 1b. 40 cts.; 5 lbs. \$1.75, postpaid. By express, 10 lbs. or more, at 28 cts. per lb.

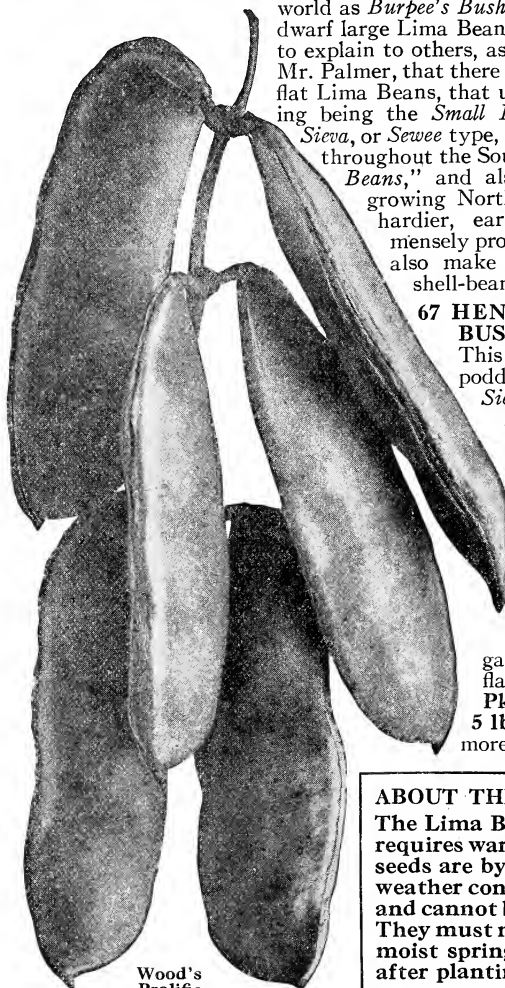
### 68 WOOD'S PROLIFIC OR IMPROVED HENDERSON BUSH LIMA

The pods are ready for use a week earlier than those of *Burpee's Bush Lima* and the plants are immensely productive. When gathered young, the beans are of excellent flavor, slightly larger than *Henderson's*.

Pkt. 10 cts.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. 25 cts.; 1b. 40 cts.; 5 lbs. \$1.75, postpaid. By express, 10 lbs. or more, at 28 cts. per lb.



Burpee's Bush Lima



Wood's Prolific

### ABOUT THE GERMINATION OF LIMA BEANS

The Lima Bean is native to warmer climates and requires warm weather to grow to perfection. The seeds are by far more sensitive to cold and moist weather conditions than the ordinary snap beans, and cannot be planted until quite some time later. They must not be sown until all danger of cool and moist spring weather has passed. A week or two after planting Sweet Corn is generally safe.

# Greens and Salads

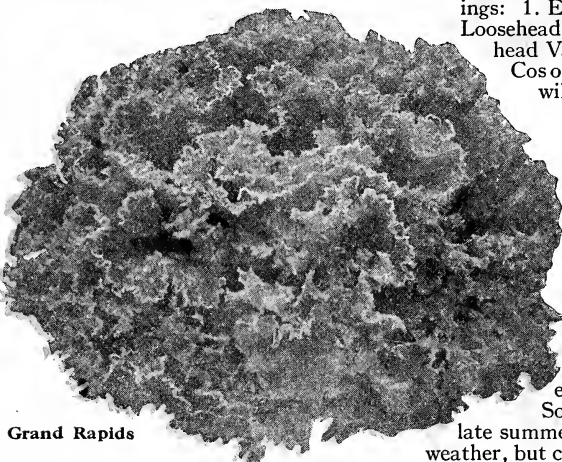
"Greens and Salads" are rightly called "Nature's Tonics." The American people are too much inclined to eat pastries and highly seasoned and concentrated meat-foods, which are rich in proteins and fats, but are almost entirely lacking in mineral salts. The importance of these mineral salts in the diet, although it was only recently recognized, cannot be overestimated. The natural source of these essential salts is the "Greens and Salads." They should constitute a considerable portion of our food. The majority of the salad plants are easily grown. They are free from insect pests and are adapted to a wide range of soil and climate. They should be extensively grown in every garden. Most varieties can be sown as succession crops, and there is no month during the entire garden season that will not produce one or the other of these useful Greens and Salads.

## LETTUCE

We have classed all varieties of lettuce offered in BURPEE'S ANNUAL under the following headings: 1. Earliest and Forcing Varieties; 2. Loosehead Cutting Varieties; 3. Solid Crisp-head Varieties; 4. Butterhead Varieties; 5. Cos or Romaine Lettuce. This, we believe, will help the amateur in making a selection of varieties for sowing during the different seasons.

### Earliest and Forcing Varieties

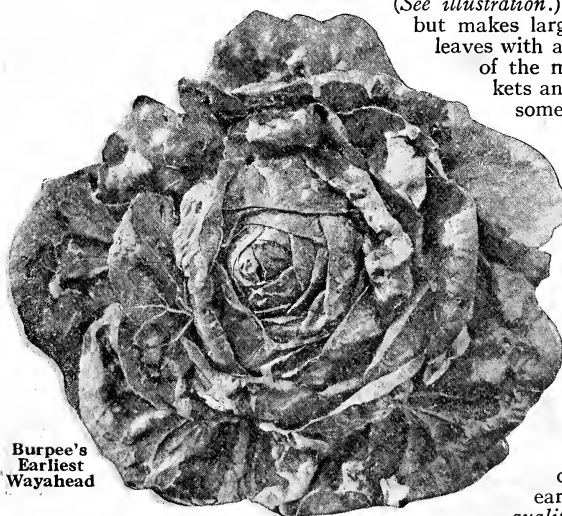
With the exception of *Grand Rapids*, this class contains varieties which will form more or less solid heads. They are all extensively grown as forcing crops in the greenhouse during winter and in the frames early in spring and late in the fall. Sown out-of-doors in early spring or in late summer, they will develop well in the cool weather, but cannot withstand the heat of summer.



Grand Rapids

#### 485 GRAND RAPIDS

(See illustration.) This does not form solid heads, but makes large, compact bunches of light green leaves with attractively fringed edges. It is one of the most popular varieties in winter markets and sells well on account of its handsome appearance. Easily raised outdoors from plantings made in early spring. *Our stock is extra fine.* Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 25 cts.; 1/4 lb. 75 cts.; lb. \$2.50, postpaid.



Burpee's Earliest Wayahead

#### 476 BURPEE'S EARLIEST WAYAHEAD

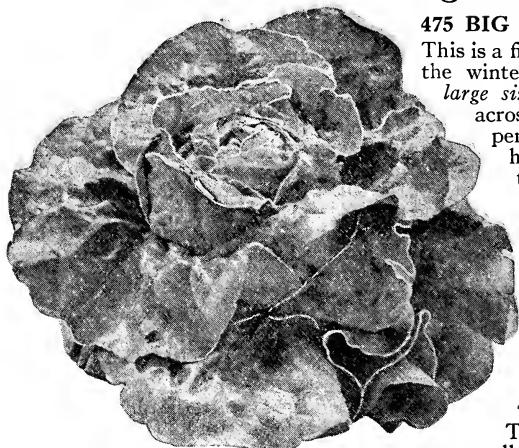
WAYAHEAD shows a remarkable combination of earliness, firm heading character, handsome appearance, and fine quality. Both in cold frames early in the spring and in the open ground,—in spring, summer, and early fall months—it has proved to be not only the *earliest* and one of the *surest* heading varieties of all early lettuce, but also of the *very finest quality* throughout the season.



The heads of WAYAHEAD are of large size and tightly folded. The outer leaves are light green, with the inner head finely blanching to a rich buttery yellow. Pkt. 10 cts.; 1/2 oz. 20 cts.; oz. 35 cts.; 1/4 lb. \$1.00; lb. \$3.50, postpaid.



## Earliest and Forcing Varieties—Continued



Big Boston

### 475 BIG BOSTON ☉

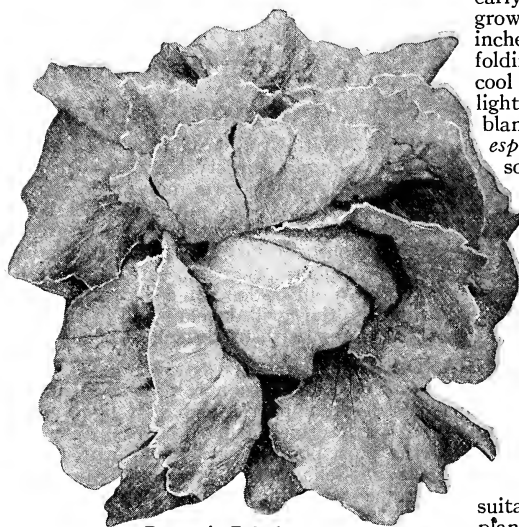
This is a fine forcing variety for cold-frames during the winter months, as it produces heads of very large size, often measuring ten to twelve inches across, and succeeds better in cooler temperatures than do most forcing strains. It heads well also in the open ground during the cool weather of spring and fall. The large heads are beautifully blanching and of superior quality. This is one of the leading varieties in the South, where it is grown for shipping to northern markets early in the year. BIG BOSTON is the most widely grown of all American lettuce varieties.

Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 25 cts.; ¼ lb. 75 cts.; lb. \$2.50, postpaid.

### 474 EARLY MAY KING ☉

The plants are of quick growth, practically all head, and extremely handsome. From early spring sowings in the open ground they grow quickly to a diameter of six to seven inches, with the broad, light green outer leaves folding closely about the round, solid head; in cool weather the edges of the outer leaves are lightly tinged with brown. The inner leaves are blanching to a rich golden-yellow and have an especially fine, rich, buttery flavor. The round, solid heads are so firmly folded that they can be shipped to distant markets and arrive in good condition.

Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 25 cts.; ¼ lb. 75 cts.; lb. \$2.50, postpaid.

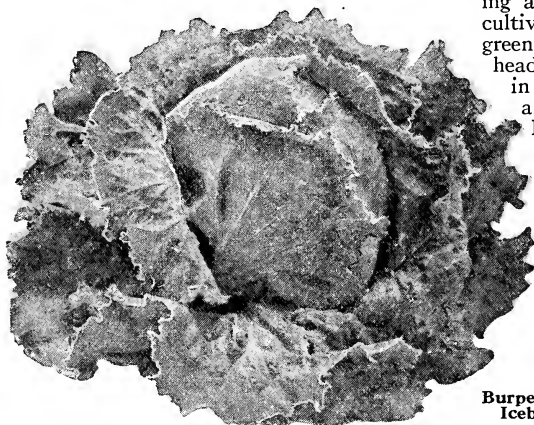


Burpee's Brittle-Ice

### 528 BURPEE'S BRITTLE-ICE ☉

BRITTLE-ICE grows to a larger size, makes larger heads, is of more pleasing appearance, and retains its crispness and mild flavor to a greater degree during the hot summer months than any other crisp-head variety. While specially adapted for mid-summer, it is most desirable also for spring and fall, but is not suitable for shipping to distant markets. The plants are of quick, strong growth, attaining a diameter of twelve inches with good cultivation. The leaves are of a soft, bright green, growing closely around the head. The heads are tightly folded, six to eight inches in diameter, blanching to a silvery white, and as crisp as celery.

Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 25 cts.; ¼ lb. 75 cts.; lb. \$2.50, postpaid.



Burpee's Iceberg

### 530 BURPEE'S ICEBERG ☉

The unusual solidity of the heads is insured by the large white main-ribs of the leaves, each of which, curving strongly into the center, acts like a truss, making it impossible for the leaves to open outward and expose the center, which is consequently thoroughly blanching.

Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 25 cts.; ¼ lb. 75 cts.; lb. \$2.50, postpaid.



## Earliest and Forcing Varieties—Continued

The *White-Seeded Tennis Ball* is popular for forcing under glass, but the *Black-Seeded Tennis Ball* is preferred by many growers. *Tom Thumb* is an excellent small-heading variety. *Yellow-Seeded Butter* forms fine, tightly folded heads. *Early Dutch Speckled-Butter* is popular, both for growing in the cold-frames and in the open ground. *Naumburger*, or *Tenderheart*, is very early and hardy, fine for planting in frames and also in the open ground.

Variety	Postpaid	Pkt.	Oz.	¼ lb.	Lb.
<b>467 WHITE-SEEDED TENNIS BALL, or BOSTON MARKET</b> (See illustration) .....	\$0 05		\$0 20	\$0 55	\$1 75
<b>469 BLACK-SEEDED TENNIS BALL</b> Ⓞ .....	5	5	20	55	1 75
<b>471 YELLOW-SEEDED BUTTER.</b> Crisp and tender....	5	5	20	60	2 00
<b>473 WHEELER'S TOM THUMB, b. s.</b> Splendid .....	10	10	25	70	2 25
<b>477 UNRIVALED, w. s.</b> Similar to <i>Big Boston</i> , but lighter..	5	5	20	60	2 00
<b>478 NAUMBURGER, or TENDERHEART, b. s.</b> Excellent	5	5	20	55	1 75
<b>479 BLACK-SEEDED BIG BOSTON.</b> Large solid .....	5	5	20	60	2 00
<b>483 EARLY DUTCH SPECKLED-BUTTER, w. s.</b> Ⓞ .....	5	5	20	60	2 00
<b>484 MIGNONETTE, b. s.</b> Ⓞ Solid; outer leaves brown.....	10	10	25	70	2 25

## Loosehead Cutting Varieties

These do not form solidly folded heads, but, where the plants are grown singly at a suitable distance apart, they make a large, rounded cluster of leaves which in most varieties are of a lighter tint in the center.

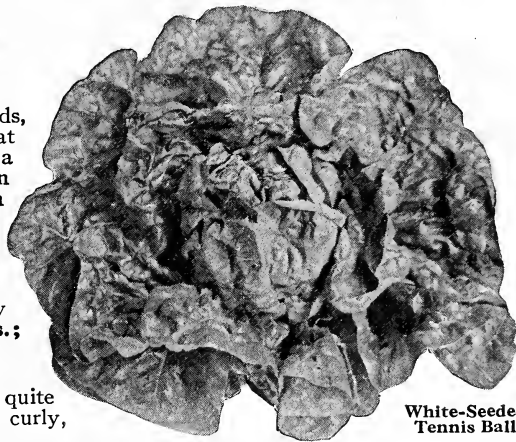
### 490 EARLY CURLED SIMPSON, or SILESIA

Of dwarf, compact habit and quick growth; crisp golden leaves with finely curled edges. Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 25 cts.; ¼ lb. 70 cts.; lb. \$2.25, postpaid.

### 493 BLACK-SEEDED SIMPSON

The plants are very compact and grow quite large. The golden-yellow leaves are curly, finely fringed, very crisp.

Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 25 cts.; ¼ lb. 70 cts.; lb. \$2.25, postpaid.



White-Seeded  
Tennis Ball

### 494 THE MORSE Ⓞ

This is a white-seeded strain, originating in the *Black-Seeded Simpson* and introduced by us. While similar in size, growth, and coloring, the plant, in many localities, is semi-heading, and always of the finest quality.

Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 25 cts.; ¼ lb. 75 cts.; lb. \$2.50, postpaid.

### 496 BURPEE'S TOMHANNOCK Ⓞ

The leaves are neatly upright, in a close, compact bunch. Very finely fringed; crisp and delightful flavor; outer leaves tinged with brown.

Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 20 cts.; ¼ lb. 60 cts.; lb. \$2.00, postpaid.

### 497 EARLY PRIZE-HEAD

Large, loose heads of finely crimped and fringed leaves. The outer leaves are heavily shaded with brown. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 20 cts.; ¼ lb. 60 cts.; lb. \$2.00, postpaid.



## Solid Crisp-Head Varieties

These are of quick growth and form good, large heads. The heads are of conical shape, not always so close as the Butterhead varieties, but the inner leaves blanch to a beautiful white and are always crisp, mild, and refreshing, even during the warm summer weather.

### 522 HANSON Ⓞ

Grows to large size, and is uniformly sure heading. Heads very solid and beautifully blanch; crisp, mild, and tender. One of the finest varieties to grow for market during the summer months. Our stock is unexcelled. Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 25 cts.; ¼ lb. 70 cts.; lb. \$2.25, postpaid.

### 524 NEW YORK IMPROVED

Also called "Los Angeles" and "Wonderful." Plants of extra large growth, producing closely folded heads of immense size. The inner portion is beautifully blanch; outer leaves a deep, rich green. Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 30 cts.; ¼ lb. 90 cts.; lb. \$3.00, postpaid.



# Solid Crisp-Head Varieties—Continued

## 526 DENVER MARKET

One of the best known, standard varieties, with crisp heads of medium size. The leaves are beautifully crumpled, tightly folded, and blanch to an attractive white. The flavor is buttery and delightfully crisp. Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 30 cts.; ¼ lb. 90 cts.; lb. \$3.00, postpaid.

## 533 GIANT GLACIER

The heads are extra large, twelve inches in diameter, with large light-green outer leaves, which fold closely. The leaves are wavy, with a curled edge. The heart is white, crisp, and tender. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 20 cts.; ¼ lb. 60 cts.; lb. \$2.00, postpaid.



## Butterhead Varieties

These grow to good size and head solidly in rounded form, resembling a small cabbage in appearance, with the inner leaves blanched to a light golden or buttery yellow. Fine heads can be grown readily from these varieties in the family garden by giving the plants thorough and frequent cultivation from the time they start to grow until the heads are ready for use. By making successive sowings a few weeks apart, a supply of fine lettuce can be had in most localities throughout the season.



The Deacon

## 498 PHILADELPHIA EARLY WHITE CABBAGE

A splendid variety for spring or fall market, producing large, solid heads which blanch to a beautiful white. Remarkably crisp and of fine flavor. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 20 cts.; ¼ lb. 60 cts.; lb. \$2.00, postpaid.

## 504 THE DEACON

(See illustration.) This magnificent lettuce withstands hot weather better than any of the other butterhead varieties and is justly most popular.

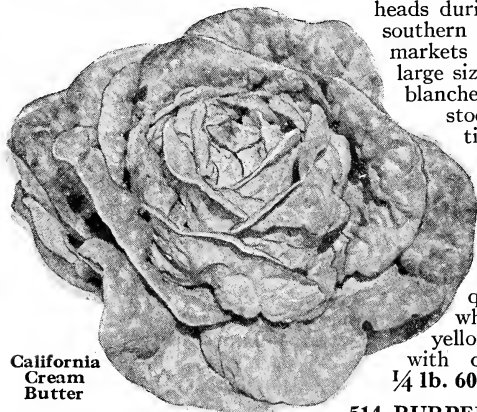
The plants make firm heads, nearly as large and almost as solid as a cabbage. The heads are light green outside, while the inner, blanched portion is beautiful cream-yellow, of delicious, rich, buttery flavor. Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 25 cts.; ¼ lb. 70 cts.; lb. \$2.25, postpaid.

## 505 ALL SEASONS

Heads of a light golden tint, well folded, and with inner leaves blanched to a buttery yellow. Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 25 cts.; ¼ lb. 70 cts.; lb. \$2.25, postpaid.

## 508 CALIFORNIA CREAM BUTTER

(See illustration.) A most desirable lettuce for the open ground, producing very large, solid heads during cool weather. Extensively planted in the southern states for shipping to the northern markets during winter. The heads are of large size, very solid, and the interior portion blanches to a beautiful white. The genuine stock of this popular lettuce can be distinguished by very small spots on the outer leaves. Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 25 cts.; ¼ lb. 75 cts.; lb. \$2.50, postpaid.



California Cream Butter

## 511 BURPEE'S HARDHEAD

A very hardy variety of superior quality, excellent for cool locations. The plants are of strong growth, producing quite large, solid, well-folded heads which blanch to a beautiful golden-yellow. Outer leaves dark green and shaded with oily brown. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 20 cts.; ¼ lb. 60 cts.; lb. \$2.00, postpaid.



## 514 BURPEE'S BUTTERHEAD

Firm heads of mammoth size. Light golden leaves; closely folded heads of fine appearance and quality. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 20 cts.; ¼ lb. 60 cts.; lb. \$2.00, postpaid.

You cannot buy Lettuce as crisp and tender as you can have it from your own garden. Grow it during spring, summer, and fall.

## Butterhead Varieties—Continued

### 518 MAMMOTH BLACK-SEEDED BUTTER ○

This is one of the best known and most extensively grown of all butterhead lettuces. Of large size, with few outer leaves; the well-folded heads blanch to a golden-yellow in the heart. It is somewhat similar to Salamander, but grows to larger size.

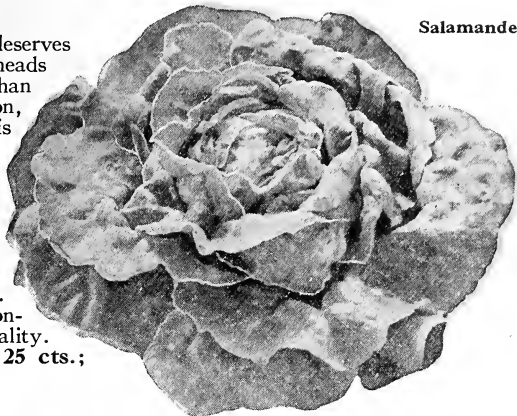
Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 20 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 60 cts.; lb. \$2.00, postpaid.

### 516 SALAMANDER ○

Of all butterhead lettuces, Salamander deserves special attention, as it will form better heads under unfavorable weather conditions than any other variety. It is, without question, one of the best known varieties and is much grown for both market and home use, claiming first place among all summer varieties. The heads are of medium size, with only a few outer leaves which permit the plants to stand quite close in the rows. The color of the outer leaves is light green; the heart blanches to a creamy white. Does well under almost any weather condition and is a variety of finest quality.

(See illustration.) Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 25 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 75 cts.; lb. \$2.50, postpaid.

Salamander



## Cos or Romaine Lettuce

Cos Lettuce or "Salad Romaine" is of distinct upright growth and much esteemed for its fresh crispness and mild flavor. It is widely grown in the Northern States during late spring and early summer; throughout the Gulf States it is grown for use during the cool early spring months.

### 537 DWARF WHITE HEART ○

(See illustration.) The growth is strictly erect, about ten inches high, the outer leaves being well folded toward the center. The inner part blanches to a snowy white. The leaves are crisp and mild in flavor.

Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 25 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 75 cts.; lb. \$2.50, postpaid.

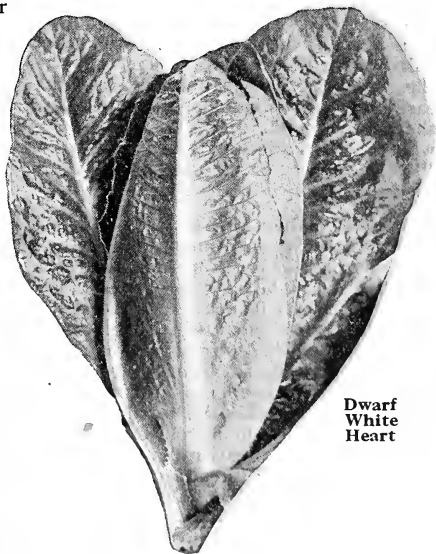


### 535 ECLIPSE, OR EXPRESS

This is the most dwarf and *earliest* of all. The plants grow stiffly erect, only six to seven inches high. The inner leaves are almost pure white, very crisp, and mild in flavor, even in hot weather. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 20 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 60 cts.; lb. \$2.00, postpaid.

### 539 PARIS WHITE COS

Grows to very large size. The inner leaves blanch readily and are of fine flavor. One of the most popular market sorts; also called White Paris Self-Folding Cos or Trianon Cos. Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 25 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 70 cts.; lb. \$2.25, postpaid.



Dwarf  
White  
Heart

**QUALITY IS THE FIRST CONSIDERATION** in Burpee's Seeds. The best quality it is possible to produce—that is the rule with all Burpee's Seeds. While our prices must be higher than those of some other houses, yet the quality of the seeds in every case warrants the prices charged. We aim always to excel in quality rather than to compete in price.

The World's Largest Mail-Order Seed Trade, growing steadily from year to year, is one result of your confidence in us and our confidence in you. No business can be successful unless transactions are mutually profitable. Each season we strive to render better service.

# CELERY

For the earliest crops the seed should be sown in hot-beds during February or March, and the young plants set out, as soon as large enough, in rich soil, after the trees start out in leaf. For the fall or main crop, seed may be sown in the open ground as early in the spring as the soil can be worked in a good condition, and the plants should be set in the rows in July.

## 262 GOLDEN SELF-BLANCHING ○

**Finest French-grown Seed.** While the seed grown in America the first year from the French stock, as offered below, gives general satisfaction in the home garden, yet most of the extensive growers for the market in Pennsylvania, California, Florida, and in other states insist upon having the French-grown seed, even though it costs double the price. As usual, it will be difficult to supply the great demand, as the originator's crops (and we handle no other imported seed of this variety) have been again extremely short—hence we advise early orders. Pkt. 15 cts.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 80 cts.; oz. \$1.50;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$4.50; lb. \$15.00, postpaid.



**Golden Self-Blanching**

## 260 GOLDEN SELF-BLANCHING ○

**The best of all early "self-blanching" varieties.** First introduced in America by us in 1884. It is of dwarf, compact growth, with thick, solid, heavily ribbed stalks which blanch easily to a clear waxen yellow. The stalks are crisp and solid, free from stringiness, and of most delicious flavor. Choice AMERICAN-GROWN SEED grown direct from the French. (See illustration.)



Pkt. 10 cts.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 45 cts.; oz. 80 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$2.40; lb. \$8.00, postpaid.

## 266 WHITE PLUME

This is the earliest and most easily blanched celery in cultivation, but does not keep well when taken from the trenches. The plant grows rapidly and blanches easily during the summer months. Later in the fall the central stalks and leaves are of a pure, snowy whiteness, making fine bunches if slightly earthed up. Pkt. 10 cts.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 25 cts.; oz. 45 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$1.35; lb. \$4.50, postpaid.

## 272 FORDHOOK EMPEROR ○

A well-known variety introduced by us only five years ago. FORDHOOK EMPEROR is a most distinct variety of outstanding merit. It is of true dwarf type, and, therefore, much easier to blanch than the taller growing sorts. The plants average fifteen to eighteen inches in height, while the blanched part is six to nine inches long. The stalks are smooth and very thick, some measuring nine-sixteenths of an inch through when cut. The color is white, the heart being tinged with yellow. Unsurpassed in flavor, being decidedly nutty and crisp. "The largest, most solid, and finest nut-flavored Celery grown." Pkt. 15 cts.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 45 cts.; oz. 80 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$2.40; lb. \$8.00, postpaid.



**Fordhook Emperor**

Celery is easily grown in the home garden and gives a good succession to early maturing vegetables. Ask us for a free copy of the Burpee Leaflet, "How to Grow Celery."

# CELERY

## 267 EASY BLANCHING

A new variety of great merit. The habit is dwarf and compact, with light-green foliage which has almost a yellowish hue. It is very easily blanched, and might be termed a second-early variety, as it is ready for use to follow *Golden Self-Blanching*. Due to the solidity of the stalks it is a first-rate keeper, and may therefore be grown for winter and spring use. The flavor is first class, while the stalks are pure white, heavy, and crisp.

**Pkt. 10 cts.; ½ oz. 35 cts.; oz. 60 cts.; ¼ lb. \$1.80; lb. \$6.00, postpaid.**

## 269 COLUMBIA

This is a splendid second-early variety of superb quality. The habit is dwarf, and the plant, being very compact in growth, is easily blanched. The individual stalks are very thick, broad, and smooth, blanching almost snow-white, though the heart is tinged with yellow. The quality is all that can be desired in a good Celery—sweet, nutty, and remarkably crisp. Although a second early, it is a splendid keeper and may be had all winter in first-class condition. **Pkt. 10 cts.; ½ oz. 30 cts.; oz. 50 cts.; ¼ lb. \$1.50; lb. \$5.00, postpaid.**

## Winter Varieties of Celery

Celery is one of our finest winter vegetables. When properly stored, the stalks keep crisp and nutty in flavor all through the winter until late in spring. Celery is a typical cool season vegetable and should be sown to delay the most active and important growth until the cool fall months. For a winter supply the seed is sown early in spring either in a frame or a specially prepared seedbed. Keep the seedbed well moistened but avoid overwatering. Success with celery depends mostly upon nursing the plants along and preventing any check in growth. As soon as the seedlings are large enough to be handled they should be transplanted to encourage a strong growth of fine, fibrous roots. The plants are usually large and strong enough by the middle of July to be set into their permanent place. Keep the crop well cultivated all during the season. About a month before severe frosts are expected the rows should be banked up with soil or boards to blanch the stalks. Celery is ready for storage when it has reached marketable size. The plants are taken up when free from dew and stored in soil or sand in a room where fresh, cool air can circulate. Write for the Burpee Leaflet, "**How to Grow Celery.**"

In the newer sorts, such as **WINTER QUEEN** and **EVANS' TRIUMPH**, the green coloring is not so deep nor so firmly fixed, so that they are more readily blanched. These varieties are of shorter, stockier growth, with broader, heavier stalks than the older varieties, making them more readily handled in growth, blanching, and in storing away for the winter, as well as when putting them in bunches for market.

## 275 WINTER QUEEN

This is one of the finest dwarf winter Celeries we have ever grown, being quite similar to the *Golden Self-Blanching*, but of a rich green coloring, like the *Giant Pascal*. It is more readily blanched than the latter and ready for use or market much earlier in the fall. The plants make large bunches of extra-heavy stalks with very large hearts; the stalks are all of even length and of a most handsome appearance when bunched.

**Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 30 cts.; ¼ lb. 90 cts.; lb. \$3.00, postpaid.**

## 278 EVANS' TRIUMPH

A fine home garden variety, but also extensively grown by market gardeners and truckers. Produces solid, large-ribbed, broad stalks.

**Pkt. 10 cts.; ½ oz. 25 cts.; oz. 45 cts.; ¼ lb. \$1.35; lb. \$4.50, postpaid.**

## 282 GIANT PASCAL

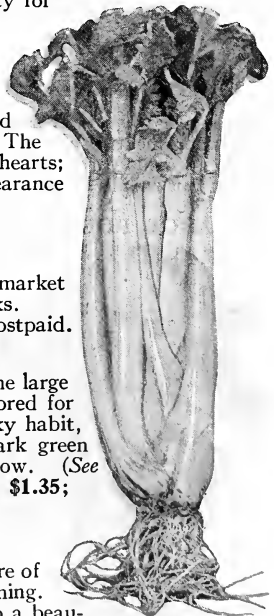
This variety is the standard for growing for winter market, as the large bunches of broad, heavily ribbed stalks keep splendidly when stored for winter use. Plants are of strong, vigorous growth, very stocky habit, with solid, thick, and very broad leaf-stalks. Color a rich dark green until earthed up, when the stalks blanch to a deep golden yellow. (See illustration.) **Pkt. 10 cts.; ½ oz. 25 cts.; oz. 45 cts.; ¼ lb. \$1.35;**

**lb. \$4.50, postpaid.**

## 284 DWARF GOLDEN HEART

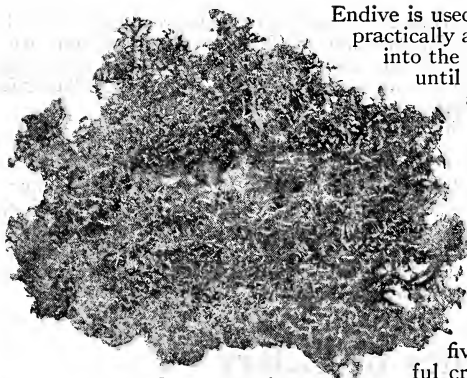
A popular main-crop variety for fall and winter use. The plants are of compact dwarf growth and are easily earthed up for blanching. Produces large bunches of stalks, with a solid heart, blanching to a beautiful waxen-yellow. Crisp, brittle, and of excellent flavor. A fine keeping variety.

**Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 35 cts.; ¼ lb. \$1.00; lb. \$3.50, postpaid.**



**Giant Pascal**

# ENDIVE



Endive Green Curled

Endive is used largely as a salad plant and can be grown practically all the year around. The seed should be sown into the open ground beginning with the end of March until late in August. For a continuous supply sow at intervals of from three to four weeks. The seeds are usually sown where the plants are to remain. Encourage strong growth by constant cultivation and keep well supplied with moisture. Before the plants are gathered they are blanched for the purpose of getting the leaves tender and brittle. Well-blanched leaves are practically free from the bitter taste of those not blanched. When the plants have reached good size the leaves are all tied up together to protect the heart against sunlight. In from twenty to twenty-five days the heart will be blanched to a beautiful creamy-white with a piquant and crisp flavor considered far superior to any other salad.

## 430 GREEN CURLED

The leaves are finely cut or lacinated, giving the plant a feathery effect. Rich green in color. (See illustration.) Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 25 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 70 cts.; lb. \$2.25, postpaid.

## 432 WHITE CURLED

A beautiful variety, with leaves as finely curled or mossed as the preceding, but of a beautiful light green color. Blanches easily.

Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 25 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 70 cts.; lb. \$2.25, postpaid.

## 434 GIANT FRINGED, or OYSTER ENDIVE

When fully grown, the center portion can be blanched to a creamy white by tying up, and contrasts finely with the deep green tips of the outer leaves. It is of excellent flavor served as salad. Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 25 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 70 cts.; lb. \$2.25, postpaid.

## 436 BROAD-LEAVED BATAVIAN

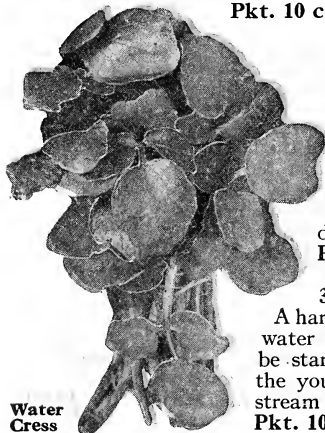
The leaves are large and broad, having the edges slightly cut. It can be blanched, but is more generally used to cook like spinach or as flavoring for soups, stews, etc. Called *Escarolle* in the South. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 20 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 60 cts.; lb. \$2.00, postpaid.

# CORN SALAD

This is a hardy winter salad, the small leaves being served like lettuce. It is used also for garnishing meat dishes in the same manner as parsley and cress. The seed should be sown thinly in drills early in the spring or during August, September, and October. It is quite hardy, but should be protected by a thin mulch of hay or straw.

## 351 LARGE ROUND-LEAVED

Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 30 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 90 cts.; lb. \$3.00, postpaid.



Water Cress

# CRESS

## 364 FINE CURLED (Pepper Grass)

Grows very quickly and readily from seed sown thinly in drills during the spring, summer, and fall months. The leaves are finely curled and quite ornamental in appearance. The flavor resembles that of mustard. Make repeated sowings every ten days to have a continuous supply.

Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 15 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 40 cts.; lb. \$1.25, postpaid.

## 366 WATER CRESS

A hardy plant which can be grown easily in a shallow pond of fresh water or along the edges of shallow running streams. Seed may be started readily in pans or boxes of very moist earth, and when the young plants are well started, they can be transplanted to the stream or pond where you wish them to grow. (See illustration.) Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 60 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$1.80, postpaid.

## COLLARDS

These slightly resemble cabbages in growth, and are largely planted in the South for use as boiling-greens during the winter months. They form a mass of leaves on tall stems, and in the South continue in growth all winter. In taste they closely resemble cabbage.

### 299 GEORGIA

This is the chief southern variety for greens. The young tops are most delicious.  
Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 15 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 40 cts.; lb. \$1.25, postpaid.

## MUSTARD

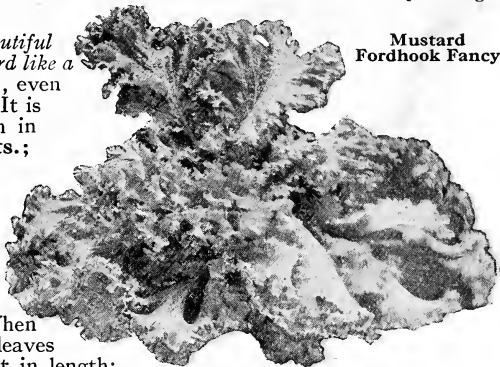
Mustard, freshly picked, serves the same purpose as spinach, and should be planted plentifully to take its place. The fresh leaves are used largely as a salad or for boiling "greens" in the Southern States during the fall and winter months. Sow in drills and make succession plantings.

### 647 FORDHOOK FANCY

Plants are of vigorous growth, and have *beautiful dark-green leaves which curve outward like a fine ostrich plume*. It stands well, even during the hot summer months. It is even superior to the best spinach in flavor. Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 20 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 55 cts.; lb. \$1.75, postpaid.



Mustard  
Fordhook Fancy



### 648 ELEPHANT EAR

Each plant produces numerous extra-large leaves of good substance and of most appetizing pungency. It succeeds well also from spring sowings, but does not make leaves so large during the warm summer as it does in the cooler fall or winter months. When they are grown in rich soil, the leaves attain eighteen inches to two feet in length; they are of a light-green color, with large, white ribs or leaf-stalks. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 15 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 45 cts.; lb. \$1.50, postpaid.



### 651 WHITE

Excellent for salad or culinary purposes. Seed used for flavoring pickles.

Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 10 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 30 cts.; lb. \$1.00, postpaid.

### 653 CHINESE

The leaves are twice the size of the ordinary White Mustard, while the flavor is sweet and pungent. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 15 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 40 cts.; lb. \$1.25, postpaid.

### 655 SOUTHERN GIANT CURLED

The true curled-leaf variety so popular in the South for planting in the fall. Our stock of this popular variety is very fine. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 10 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 30 cts.; lb. \$1.00, postpaid.

## LEEKS

The Leek does not make bulbs, but the plant has a long, thick neck. Excellent for stews, soups, or creamed.

### 461 BROAD LONDON, or LARGE AMERICAN FLAG

This is a strong-growing variety, producing large, thick stems of sweet flavor when properly blanched.

Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 40 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$1.20; lb. \$4.00, postpaid.

### 465 LONG MEZIERES

The plants are of strong, vigorous growth, extremely hardy, with extra-long stems which blanch readily to a snowy whiteness and are of delicious flavor.

Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 50 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$1.50; lb. \$5.00, postpaid.



Leek  
Long  
Mezieres

## SORREL

Of the easiest growth, Sorrel is cultivated for its leaves, which possess a very fine flavor boiled and served like spinach. The leaves can be gathered for use at any time.

### 987 BROAD-LEAVED

This is the best variety, differing from the common type in the greater size and paler color of its leaves. Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 25 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 70 cts.; lb. \$2.25, postpaid.



# SWISS CHARD

The outside leaves of Swiss Chard are used as "boiling greens" and are excellent for this purpose. They closely resemble spinach in flavor, but are declared by connoisseurs to be even finer. The large white stalks are used like asparagus; they are boiled and served in melted butter or milk dressing and are fully as delicious as asparagus. Swiss Chard grows well even during hot weather, when spinach fails altogether.



Swiss Chard  
Lucullus

## 136 LARGE-RIBBED WHITE

This variety is largely grown for the broad white leaf-stalks which, when bunched and cooked in the same manner as asparagus, make a delicious summer vegetable. Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 20 cts.; ¼ lb. 60 cts.; lb. \$2.00, postpaid.

## 137 LUCULLUS

The stalks are as thick and broad as those of rhubarb, being one and one-half inches broad, heavily ribbed, and from ten to twelve inches long below the leaf. The extra-large leaves of thick texture are heavily crumpled or "savoyed" and of fine flavor. (See illustration.) Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 20 cts.; ¼ lb. 60 cts.; lb. \$2.00, postpaid.

# SPINACH

## 990 LONG SEASON

The plants are comparatively small but very compact, with the short-stemmed dark-green leaves spreading flatly on the ground. The leaves are pointed in form; of thick, heavy texture, heavily crumpled. LONG SEASON can be marketed in a firm, fresh condition, even during the warm summer months. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 15 cts.; ¼ lb. 40 cts.; lb. \$1.25, postpaid.

## 991 VICTORIA



The foliage is heavy, the broad, dark-green leaves being of true savoy appearance and of the finest quality. It remains in prime condition from two to three weeks after nearly all other varieties have run to seed. (See illustration.) Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 15 cts.; ¼ lb. 40 cts.; lb. \$1.25, postpaid.

## 993 THICK-LEAVED ROUND

Produces large, thick, dark-green leaves, somewhat crumpled. Very popular for market. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 15 cts.; ¼ lb. 40 cts.; lb. \$1.25, postpaid.

## 995 LONG-STANDING

Leaves large, thick, fleshy, and crumpled. Excellent for late spring and early summer. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 15 cts.; ¼ lb. 40 cts.; lb. \$1.25, postpaid.

## 999 SAVOY-LEAVED

The leaves are numerous curled, and wrinkled. A very productive variety, popular with market gardeners. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 15 cts.; ¼ lb. 40 cts.; lb. \$1.25, postpaid.



Spinach  
Victoria

## 1001 PRICKLY, or WINTER

This variety is very desirable for fall sowing and will live through the winter if protected with a light mulch of straw or hay. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 15 cts.; ¼ lb. 40 cts.; lb. \$1.25, postpaid.

## 1005 NEW ZEALAND (Tetragonia expansa)

The stems and leaves are soft, thick, fleshy, and of a crystalline appearance. Started early in the spring, the plants will resist heat and make a strong growth during the summer. Pick off the leaves from the stem, cooking them only, and you will have delicious greens all summer long. Contrary to other Spinach, it is tender and dies down with the first frost. Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 25 cts.; ¼ lb. 75 cts.; lb. \$2.50, postpaid.

Spinach thrives best during cool weather, and the seed should be planted early in the spring. For succession sow every ten days up to the end of April. For a fall supply sow the seed during August.



# BRUSSELS SPROUTS

Brussels Sprouts are highly esteemed for boiling during the late fall and winter months. The Sprouts resemble miniature cabbages, growing closely on the stalk of the plant, being produced in abundance from tip to ground level. The plants are hardy, and in our section will live out through the winter without protection. The quality and flavor of the Sprouts are much improved by frost. Seed should be sown thinly in drills early in June, and when the young plants are six inches in height, they should be transplanted to rich soil, setting them in rows three to four feet apart, and plants eighteen inches to two feet apart in the row. When the young Sprouts are well started, the lower leaves should be stripped from the plant in order to admit light and air.

## 158 LONG ISLAND IMPROVED Ⓞ

The finest strain of Sprouts grown for the New York market, where they bring a good price, especially during the winter. We offer the choicest Long Island grown seed.

Pkt. 15 cts.; oz. 75 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$2.25; lb. \$7.50, postpaid.

## 159 PERFECTION

The plants grow about two feet in height, and the stems are thickly set with the Sprouts, which grow one to two inches in diameter.

Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 50 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$1.50; lb. \$5.00, postpaid.

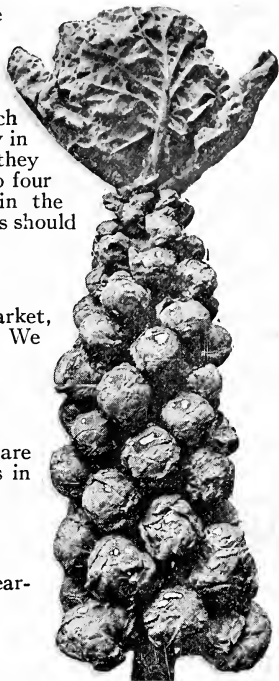
## 161 PARIS MARKET

This is a half-dwarf strain, not so tall as the preceding, but bearing a large crop of handsome, round, hard sprouts.

Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 30 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 90 cts.; lb. \$3.00, postpaid.

## 162 BURPEE'S DANISH PRIZE Ⓞ

(See illustration.) The plants are of strong, robust growth. The stalks are large, thick, and close-jointed, so that the Sprouts are set thickly on the stalk. The Sprouts develop for nearly the entire height of the stalk at about the same time, consequently a very large crop can be gathered. Even the Sprouts formed at the base of the stalk are tightly folded, and they are as solid as those higher up. Pkt. 15 cts.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 35 cts.; oz. 60 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$1.80; lb. \$6.00, postpaid.



Brussels Sprouts  
Danish Prize



# KALE

This is a popular boiling-green for fall, winter, and early spring use, resembling cabbage in flavor. The plant is entirely hardy in well-drained soil, and can be grown easily from seed sown during the summer months. The plants are usually cut off for use when the leaves are six inches or more in length, but with the fine curled varieties the leaves can be gathered for use when of good size. With the *Tall Scotch* and other large-leaved varieties it is customary to pull off the lower leaves and let the plant grow on to furnish a continuous supply. The sweetness and flavor of these greens are improved by freezing weather.



Kale  
Dwarf Green Curled

## 446 DWARF GREEN CURLED Ⓞ

This is the variety usually sown in the fall for spring market. It is low growing, with finely curled leaves of a deep green. (See illustration.) Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 25 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 70 cts.; lb. \$2.25, postpaid.

## 448 DWARF SIBERIAN

Extremely hardy; large, broad leaves. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 20 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 55 cts.; lb. \$1.75, postpaid.

## 452 TALL GREEN CURLED SCOTCH

The stalks grow three feet high, with narrow leaves finely curled and beautifully fringed. Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 25 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 75 cts.; lb. \$2.50, postpaid.

# CAULIFLOWER

Cauliflower is grown in the same manner as Cabbage, usually as a late fall crop, but when started early in the spring, excellent heads can be grown of the dwarf early varieties. To make the best and largest heads the plants need cool, moist weather, well-enriched soil, and thorough cultivation. Cauliflower is highly esteemed for its mild, delicate flavor and the extreme tenderness of the solid white heads. For main or fall crop, seed should be sown from June 1st to July 1st and young plants set out during the latter part of July. In this locality the dwarf early varieties, such as *Snowball*, give best results also for the fall crop. Farther south the large late varieties are quite satisfactory for late or winter heading.

## 244 BURPEE'S BEST-EARLY CAULIFLOWER ○

**The earliest and best quick-growing Cauliflower.** This grand strain was first introduced by us thirty-three years ago (1887), and has fully maintained all the merits then claimed for it. The plants are of strong growth, with erect, pointed, dark-green leaves growing closely about the head. It is remarkable for both the extreme **earliness** and the **certainty** with which the plants produce fine heads. In good soil the heads measure eight to ten inches across; they are a pure snowy white, with very close, compact curd of extra fine quality. So extremely solid and deep are the nearly globe-shaped heads that they weigh *heavier* than other heads of equal size. Had we space to spare we could publish many testimonials from experienced growers, who are most enthusiastic in stating that this is, beyond doubt, all its name implies, "**The BEST-EARLY Cauliflower.**" *Seed very costly.* Pkt. 20 cts.;  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz. \$1.25;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. \$2.25; oz. \$7.50;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$22.50, postpaid.



## 245 BURPEE'S DRY-WEATHER CAULIFLOWER ○

As compared with *Burpee's Best-Early*, this produces equally solid, pure white heads, and only about a week later. The heads are considerably larger in size, with more foliage, and hence not so suitable for forcing. It is adapted especially for growing in dry locations where nearly all other varieties fail to make good heads. *Seed very costly.* Pkt. 20 cts.;  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz. \$1.20;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. \$2.10; oz. \$7.00, postpaid.



Cauliflower requires a rich, well-manured soil and a cool growing season. In the South it is usually planted in the fall to grow during the winter. In the North it is planted either very early in the spring for a summer supply or during May and June for a fall crop. Write for our free leaflet "How to Grow Cabbage and Cauliflower."

Burpee's  
Best-Early



# CAULIFLOWER

## 247 EARLY SNOWBALL

Many market gardeners claim for Early Snowball first place for both early and late planting. It is a popular extra-early strain of dwarf, compact growth. Under favorable conditions nearly every plant will make a fine, solid head of good size. Protected against direct sunlight, the heads are pure white, with very close, compact curd of excellent quality.

Pkt. 15 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. \$1.35; oz. \$4.50;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$13.50, postpaid.

## 249 EXTRA EARLY DWARF ERFURT

(Extra Selected.) This is a very choice selected strain of the popular Erfurt type, and is remarkable for its extreme reliability in heading. Plants very dwarf, but sure to form fine compact heads under favorable growing conditions.

Pkt. 15 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. \$1.20; oz. \$4.00;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$12.00, postpaid.

## 256 ALGIERS

A very strong-growing late variety, with large leaves of a bluish tint. In cool locations and rich soil it produces very large, solid white heads late in the fall.

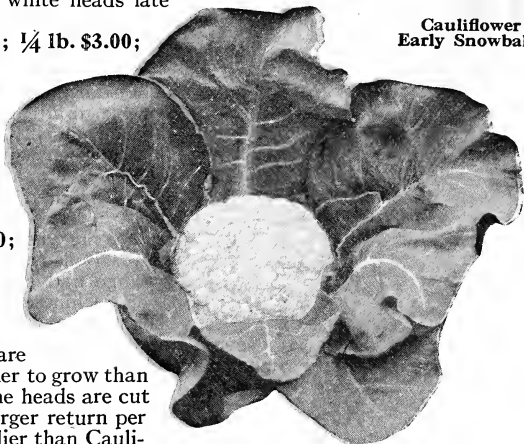
Pkt. 10 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 30 cts.; oz. \$1.00;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$3.00; lb. \$10.00, postpaid.

## 258 VEITCH'S AUTUMN GIANT

A large, late cauliflower, producing quite compact white heads. These late varieties are not nearly so reliable as the earlier Erfurt type. On the Pacific coast this variety is known under the name of *California Wonder*.

Pkt. 10 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 60 cts.; oz. \$2.00;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$6.00, postpaid.

Cauliflower  
Early Snowball



# BROCCOLI

Where the soil and climatic conditions are favorable, Broccoli usually is much easier to grow than Cauliflower, and, particularly where the heads are cut up for pickling, Broccoli will yield a larger return per acre than Cauliflower. It is much harder than Cauliflower, and for our southern and western States, where the winters are not very severe, Broccoli will be found a very profitable crop. It requires a much longer season than Cauliflower. The seed is usually sown from early April until the end of May, and the plants set in the field in June or July to make heads the following spring.

## 155 ST. VALENTINE

This variety is grown extensively in the Northwest (Oregon and Washington) for shipping to the eastern markets when the supply of Cauliflower is exhausted. Cultivate same as cauliflower or cabbage, but do not attempt to grow it during warm weather.

Pkt. 15 cts.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. \$1.35; oz. \$2.50;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$7.50, postpaid.

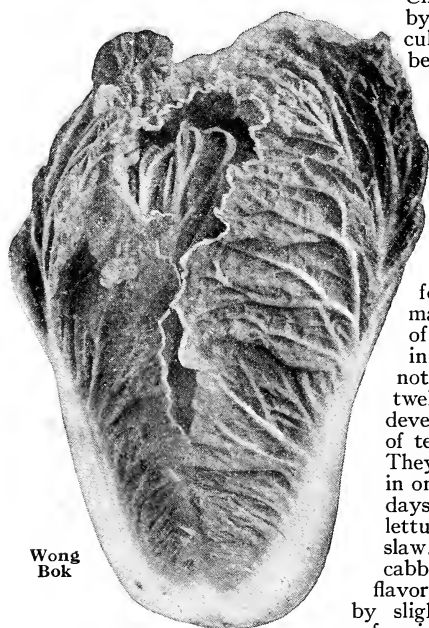
Broccoli  
St. Valentine



## WHAT SCIENCE SAYS ABOUT SALADS

World-famous scientists have discovered by actual laboratory tests that many diseases, like rheumatism, gout, nervous troubles, etc., originate from the collection of poisonous germs in the intestines. These famous physicians have pointed out that the way to avoid this condition is to use salads, such as chicory, collards, cabbage, lettuce, spinach, etc., plentifully. Europeans have known this for years. The French call spinach "the broom of the stomach." If you would have health, grow salad plants plentifully and use some form of salad vegetable every day, not once in a while.

# CHINESE, or CELERY CABBAGE



Wong  
Bok

Chinese Cabbage was introduced into this country by the Chinese of the Pacific Coast. It has been cultivated in China for many years and quite a number of varieties are known. Of all these, Wong

Bok and Pe-Tsai have proven in our trial-grounds to be most worthy of offering to Burpee customers. Chinese Cabbage belongs to the cabbage family, although the plants more closely resemble lettuce. The most essential requirement for raising Chinese Cabbage successfully is cool weather. Where the summers are warm, sowing must be delayed until early August. In the vicinity of Philadelphia, spring-sown seed seldom forms the attractive, tightly folded heads, but goes to seed before having made much leaf-growth. With us the first week of August is the best time. Sow the seed thinly in the rows where they are to mature, since they do not transplant well, and thin the plants out to stand twelve to fifteen inches apart in the row. The plants develop quickly, forming large, tightly folded heads of tender leaves which are well blanched in the heart. They thrive in any good soil and mature full size heads in one hundred and twenty to one hundred and thirty days. Chinese Cabbage can be served as salad like lettuce or, when cut, will answer the purpose of cold-slaw. Boiled, it is even more palatable than ordinary cabbage and somewhat resembles Brussels sprouts in flavor. Chinese Cabbage is quite hardy and is not hurt by slight frosts. It should, however, be gathered before severe freezing sets in. Taken up with the roots, the plants

will store for quite some time if placed between layers of straw in a cool, dry cellar.

## 211 WONG BOK

Of the many varieties of Chinese Cabbage tested in our trial-grounds on Fordhook Farms, Wong Bok has impressed us most favorably. The rather short and broad heads are composed of well-blanched, tightly folded leaves. The ribs are juicy and agreeably pungent, while the plant develops very few outer leaves.

With us the plants made their best growth from early August sowings and produced unusually fine heads within one hundred and ten days. **Pkt. 15 cts.; oz. \$1.00; ¼ lb. \$3.00; 1b. \$10.00, postpaid.**

## 212 PE-TSAI

This was the first variety of Chinese Cabbage we included in our Catalog a few years ago. No doubt it is the best known in America. It differs from Wong Bok in making larger and narrower heads and in maturing somewhat later. **Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 40 cts.; ¼ lb. \$1.20; 1b. \$4.00, postpaid.**

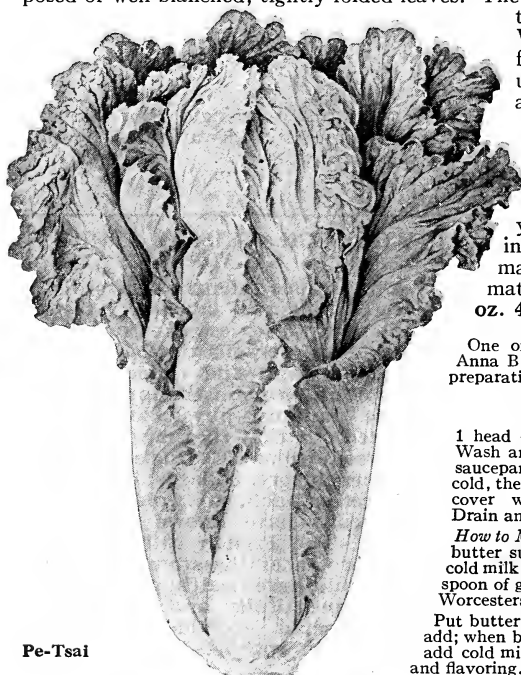
One of Philadelphia's foremost cooking experts, Mrs. Anna B. Scott, has given us the following recipe for the preparation of Chinese Cabbage for the table:

### CREAMED CHINESE CABBAGE

1 head of bleached Chinese Cabbage. 2 cups cream sauce. Wash and cut the cabbage into half-inch pieces, put into saucepan, cover with boiling water, and let it stand until cold, then drain, rinse with cold water, return to saucepan, cover with boiling water, and boil twenty-five minutes. Drain and cover with sauce.

*How to Make the Sauce:* 4 level tablespoonfuls of butter or butter substitute. 4 level tablespoonfuls of flour. 2 cups of cold milk. 2 level teaspoons salt. A little pepper. ¼ teaspoon of grated nutmeg or one teaspoon of onion. 1 teaspoon Worcestershire sauce.

Put butter or butter substitute into saucepan; if onion is used add; when butter is melted, add the flour; mix until smooth and add cold milk, slowly stirring so it will not lump; add seasoning and flavoring.



Pe-Tsai

# BURPEE QUALITY CABBAGE

The House of Burpee has introduced more varieties that are now generally used and known as standards than any three other American Seed houses.

Of all the cabbages, there are none valued more than these Ten Varieties of Our Introduction:

Burpee's Surehead (1877).  
Short-Stem Drumhead (1884).  
Danish Ballhead (1887).  
Burpee's Allhead-Early (1891).  
Burpee's Early Stonehead (1901).

Burpee's Large Late Stonehead (1901).  
Burpee's Early Baseball (1902).  
Burpee's Danish Roundhead (1902).  
Burpee's Danish Round-Red (1907).  
Fordhook Mainstay-Early (1912).

## Earliest Oblong—or Pointed-Head

### 165 EXTRA-EARLY EXPRESS

Produces pointed, hard heads of good size, even earlier than those of the *Jersey Wakefield*. Also sold as *Lightning* and under a number of other fancy names.

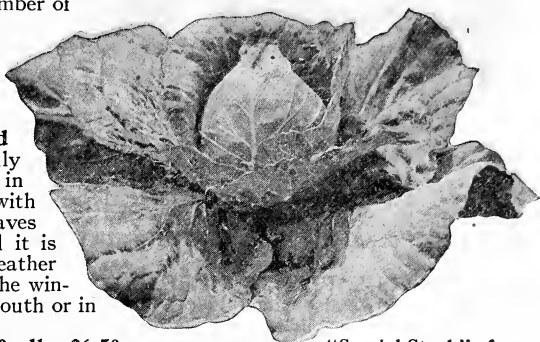
Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 75 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$2.25;

lb. \$7.50, postpaid.

### 167 EARLY JERSEY WAKEFIELD

The best first-early, oblong-headed Cabbage. The heads are uniformly hard and solid. They are pyramidal in form, generally pointed at the end, with but few outside leaves. The outer leaves are unusually thick and heavy, and it is thereby enabled to stand more cold weather without injury when carried through the winter either in the open ground in the South or in cold-frames in the North.

Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 65 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$2.00; lb. \$6.50, postpaid.



"Special Stock" of  
Extra-Early Jersey Wakefield

### 168 BURPEE'S "SPECIAL STOCK" OF EXTRA-EARLY JERSEY WAKEFIELD

(See illustration of head—from photograph taken at Fordhook.) The plants are dwarf and compact and produce heads at a very early period. The heads are smaller and generally more slender than those of our regular strain; erect and conical in form, remarkably uniform and even in size as well as in time of heading. We believe our SPECIAL STOCK OF EARLY JERSEY WAKEFIELD to be the earliest maturing and most finely bred strain of the variety in existence.

Pkt. 15 cts.; oz. \$1.00;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$3.00; lb. \$10.00, postpaid.

### 169 LARGE WAKEFIELD, OR CHARLESTON

Produces larger heads than *Early Jersey Wakefield*, but is a week or two later in maturity. The heads are firm and solid.

Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 65 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$2.00; lb. \$6.50, postpaid.

### 171 EARLY WINNIGSTADT

The heads are of the same size as the *Jersey Wakefield*, but more sharply pointed and not so early. The leaves are rich, dark green, slightly glossy, most tightly folded, the heads being the hardest of any early Cabbage. By reason of its great solidity it is a popular variety also to plant in the summer for winter use or cutting for *Kraut*.

Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 60 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$1.80; lb. \$6.00, postpaid.

## Early Flat and "Round-Head"

### 177 BURPEE'S ALLHEAD EARLY

Is the earliest of all large Cabbage, and considerably larger than any other early summer Cabbage that is equally as early. The deep flat heads are remarkably solid and the most uniform in color, form, and size of any variety. The hard heads grow so free from spreading leaves that fully one thousand more heads than usual with large Cabbage, can be obtained to the acre. BURPEE'S ALLHEAD, first introduced twenty-nine years ago, has long been recognized as the Best Large Early Flathead Cabbage. It is really an all-the-year-round Cabbage, being equally good for winter. Although it is usually grown for summer and fall use, yet if sown about the 20th of July and put away when two-thirds grown (put head up—not down), the heads will come out as "hard as bullets" in the spring. There is no American variety of Cabbage better for winter.

Pkt. 15 cts.; oz. \$1.00;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$3.00; lb. \$10.00, postpaid.



Our seed of the American varieties of Cabbage is all grown on Long Island. Our trials, as well as the experience of careful market growers, have clearly demonstrated the superiority of Wakefield, Allhead Early, and other Cabbages grown from Long Island seed.

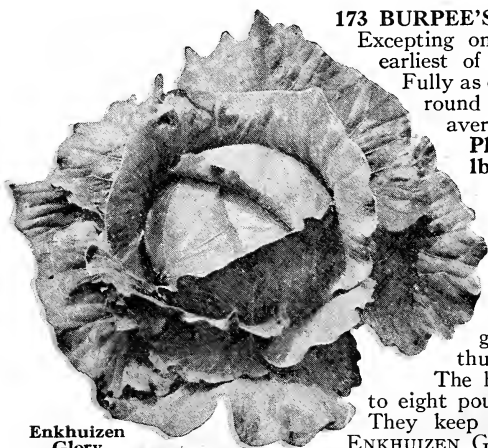
# CABBAGE—Early Flat and Round-Head Varieties— Continued

## 173 BURPEE'S EARLY BASEBALL

Excepting only *Copenhagen Market*, this is the earliest of all flat or round-head Cabbages.

Fully as early as *Jersey Wakefield*. The small round heads are "solid as a baseball," and average five to six inches in diameter.

Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 65 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$2.00; lb. \$6.50, postpaid.



Enkhuizen  
Glory

## 176 ENKHUIZEN GLORY

This second-early Cabbage produces fine marketable heads as early as our famous *Allhead Early*, but round or ball-like in form. The heads are very solid, with but few outer leaves, and of such compact growth as to permit quite close planting, thus increasing the yield of a given area.

The heads are of medium size (weighing from six to eight pounds, trimmed), tender, and of fine flavor. They keep well when put away, and consequently

ENKHUIZEN GLORY is valuable also for sowing later in the season for early winter use. Plants set out in midsummer will

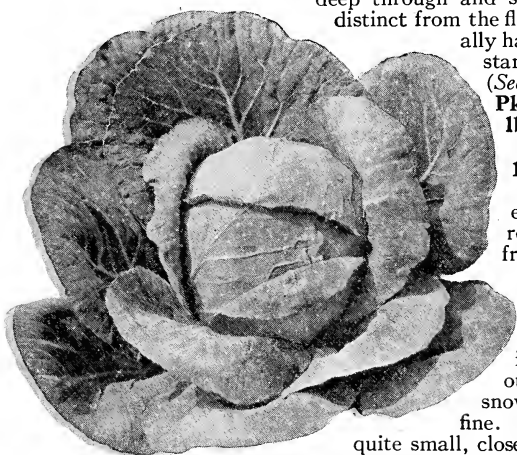
produce fine heads before cold weather. (See illustration.)  
Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. \$1.00;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$3.00; lb. \$10.00, postpaid.

## 179 BURPEE'S EARLY STONEHEAD

This distinct type (also called *Volga*) is especially adapted for cool locations. It generally matures shortly after our famous *Allhead Early*. The plants are of low growth, with spreading, saucer-like outer leaves, making a total diameter of two feet. The heads are deep through and smoothly rounded on the top, as distinct from the flat type. The heads are exceptionally hard and solid, of great weight, and stand a long time before bursting.

(See illustration.)

Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 85 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$2.50; lb. \$8.50, postpaid.



Burpee's  
Early Stonehead

## 180 FORDHOOK MAINSTAY-EARLY

This fine new cabbage has quickly become extremely popular. The beautiful little round heads are "solid as a rock," and weigh from three to six pounds, just a right size for family use. It rapidly comes to maturity, being ready for use about the same time as *Early Jersey Wakefield*.

Although so early in maturing, it remains in perfect condition for many weeks without bursting. The heads when cut are snowy-white, and the quality is particularly fine. The leaves are rich glaucous green and

quite small, closely enfolding the head, and on account of this habit of growth almost two cabbages can be grown on the

space usually occupied by one plant of other varieties.

FORDHOOK MAINSTAY-EARLY may be planted in rows two feet apart, and fifteen inches apart in the row, as this will allow ample space for this "little Gem" to develop. In addition to its other unsurpassed qualities, we know of no variety which, after attaining full development, remains in perfect condition so long without splitting.

If we may judge by the many glowing testimonials received, FORDHOOK MAINSTAY-EARLY has become "first favorite" with thousands of planters throughout America.

Pkt. 15 cts.; oz. \$1.00;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$3.00; lb. \$10.00, postpaid.



⊙ A Bull's-Eye is used to mark those varieties which we consider the best of their respective types. You may prefer others for your section. Of whichever varieties you order, you can rely upon obtaining the choicest strains that have been produced for planting in 1920

The Best "Seeds that Grow."



# Early Flat and Round-Head Cabbages



Stein's Flat Dutch or Acme Cabbage—showing its even habit of growth

## 183 EARLY DWARF FLAT DUTCH

A well-known strain, popular for the summer; not quite equal to *Burpee's Allhead Early*. Good for early market or sour-kraut. Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 50 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$1.50; lb. \$5.00, postpaid.

## 185 EARLY SUMMER

Large, solid, round, flattened heads of excellent quality; the plant has a peculiar bluish tinge. Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 60 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$1.75; lb. \$5.75, postpaid.

## 187 SUCCESSION

This popular second-early sort is about ten days later than *Early Summer*, larger in growth, and heads more uniform; an excellent keeper. Requires about 135 days to reach full size. Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 65 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$2.00; lb. \$6.50, postpaid.

## 189 ALL SEASONS

The heads are extremely hard and solid, round, flattened on top, and ready to market *nearly as early as Early Summer*, while considerably larger in size. It is called *All Seasons* because it is as good for autumn or winter as for early summer. Grows well under widely different conditions. Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 60 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$1.75; lb. \$5.75, postpaid.

## 188 STEIN'S FLAT DUTCH (ACME)

This is a distinct strain of quick growth and early maturity, so that it can be grown in a shorter season, or a good crop can be secured by a later planting. Well-grown heads measure thirteen inches across and weigh from ten to twelve pounds.

Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 60 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$1.75; lb. \$5.75, postpaid.

## 178 COPENHAGEN MARKET

Although first introduced only nine years ago, COPENHAGEN MARKET has already become immensely popular with market gardeners throughout America. The heads are round in form, averaging about eight pounds in weight, are very solid, with small core and of good quality. The plants are short-stemmed, the heads being produced almost on the level of the ground. Leaves are light green, rather small, saucer-shaped, and always tightly folded. It is ready for market fully as early as the *Early Jersey Wakefield*, and the heads being larger, give a heavier yield per acre than that popular variety. In the trials at FORDHOOK FARMS, from seed sown March 4th and plants set out April 21st, fine heads were ready to market on June 23d. We offer the true stock grown under contract for us in Denmark.

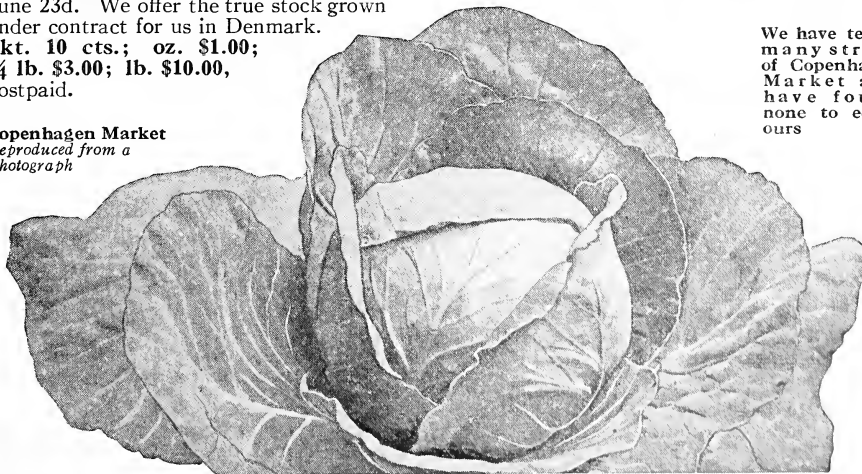
Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. \$1.00;

$\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$3.00; lb. \$10.00,

postpaid.

### Copenhagen Market

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Photograph



We have tested  
many strains  
of Copenhagen  
Market and  
have found  
none to equal  
ours



# Late or Winter Varieties

## 195 BURPEE'S SUREHEAD CABBAGE



BURPEE'S SUREHEAD is a most popular strain of the favorite *Flat Dutch* type of Cabbage. The heads are very large, round, flattened at the top, remarkably uniform, extra hard, firm, fine in texture, and weigh from ten to fifteen pounds each. An excellent shipping as well as a first-class keeping variety.

Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 75 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$2.25; lb. \$7.50, postpaid.

## 199 BURPEE'S SHORT-STEM DRUMHEAD

This is uniform in heading and dwarf in growth, so that the largest number of heads can be raised on a given area. It grows with little outer foliage, the leaves all folding in closely about the head, which is extra hard.

Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. \$1.00;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$3.00; lb. \$10.00.



## 194 PREMIUM FLAT DUTCH

An improved strain of the old *Large Flat Dutch* type. Highly esteemed. Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 65 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$2.00; lb. \$6.50, postpaid.

## 201 BURPEE'S LATE STONEHEAD

The plants are of strong, sturdy growth; the head is surrounded by a spreading circle of large, rounded, blue-green leaves. Large round heads are "solid as a stone." Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 90 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$2.70; lb. \$9.00, postpaid.



## 203 TRUE DANISH BALLHEAD

Most Popular Cabbage for Winter. This famous Cabbage was first introduced by us from Denmark thirty-three years ago and our Danish-grown seed is absolutely unsurpassed! It

is highly esteemed for winter use by reason of the great *solidity* and *excellent keeping* qualities of the heads. *It is now more largely grown for winter market than any other Cabbage in all America!* The magnificent heads are nearly round in form, *very hard*, and solid; they



Danish Ballhead

keep in finest condition when buried through the winter and come out solid in spring.

Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. \$1.00;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$3.00; lb. \$10.00, postpaid.

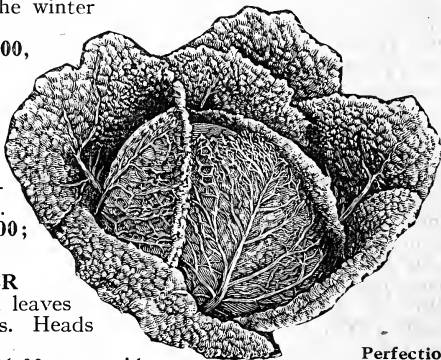
## 205 BURPEE'S DANISH ROUNDHEAD

An earlier, shorter stemmed type of the famous Danish "Ballhead." DANISH ROUNDHEAD has less outer foliage and is better able to resist blight. The heads are unusually solid, and beautifully white when trimmed. They are splendid keepers. Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. \$1.00;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$3.00; lb. \$10.00, postpaid.

## 207 AUTUMN KING, OR WORLD-BEATER

Of extra-strong growth, with dark bluish-green leaves growing closely about the large flattened heads. Heads of enormous size.

Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 60 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$1.80; lb. \$6.00, postpaid.



Perfection Drumhead Savoy

# Savoy Cabbage

## 209 PERFECTION DRUMHEAD SAVOY

Is the hardest heading and best all-around Savoy. Plants are of strong growth, having a number of outer leaves growing closely about the large, solid, round heads. Heads beautifully blanched, of finest flavor. Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 65 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$2.00; lb. \$6.50, postpaid.

# Red Cabbage

## 215 LARGE RED DRUMHEAD, OR RED DUTCH

The well-known standard. Heads of large size, slightly rounded, seven to eight inches in diameter. Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 75 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$2.25; lb. \$7.50, postpaid.



## 216 BURPEE'S DANISH ROUND-RED

Produces round or ball-shaped heads of great solidity and *intensely deep rich coloring*. The heads are perfectly round, from six to eight inches in diameter. Deep purplish red. Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. \$1.00;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$3.00; lb. \$10.00, postpaid.

# CHICORY, OR FRENCH ENDIVE

## 297 WITLOOF

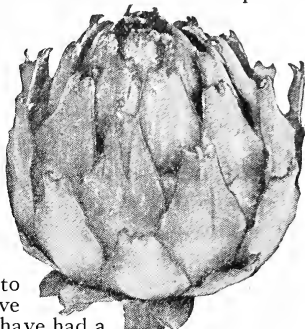
Witloof is used principally as a winter salad. The seed should be sown in the open ground not later than June. The plants form long, parsnip-shaped roots which are lifted in the fall, trimmed of leaves, and stored in soil in a cool place until wanted for forcing. The roots can be forced in any warm cellar or room, requiring about one month to make edible sprouts  
Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 50 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$1.50; lb. \$5.00, postpaid.

## ARTICHOKE

### 1 GREEN GLOBE

The GLOBE ARTICHOKE is cultivated for its flower-heads, which are cooked like asparagus. Plants set in any good soil, with slight covering in winter, will remain in bearing several years. GREEN GLOBE is the standard variety.

Pkt. 15 cts.; oz. \$1.75;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$5.25; lb. \$17.50, postpaid.



Green Globe  
From a Photograph

## RHUBARB

The seed should be sown in a shallow drill, using one ounce to 125 feet of row. When well started, thin to stand ten to twelve inches apart. The stalks should not be gathered until plants have had a full season's growth.

### 979 MYATT'S VICTORIA

The most popular variety; comes quite true from seed.

Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 25 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 75 cts.; lb. \$2.50, postpaid.

### 1464 RHUBARB ROOTS

Young roots of above variety, which, if planted in good soil early in the spring, will make a strong growth and yield stalks for market the following spring. Two roots for 25 cts.; four roots for 40 cts., postpaid. Prices on larger quantities will be quoted on request.

Roots supplied any time between October 1st and April 30th

## 1400 CHIVES

They are grown for the young leaves, which are produced freely and give a mild onion flavor to sausages, salads, etc.

Roots, per bunch, 25 cts., by mail, postpaid.

## ASPARAGUS

Asparagus grows better and produces earlier in the spring if planted in well-drained soil having a southern exposure. Ask for our free leaflet on "ASPARAGUS CULTURE."

Roots are out of season during June to September

### 3 BARR'S MAMMOTH

The stalks are very large, with few scales; they retain their thickness up to the top and have close, round heads.

Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 15 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 40 cts.; lb. \$1.20, postpaid.

Roots—One year old: 50 for 65 cts.; 100 for \$1.10, postpaid. By express, at purchaser's expense, 100 for 80 cts.; 1000 for \$6.25.

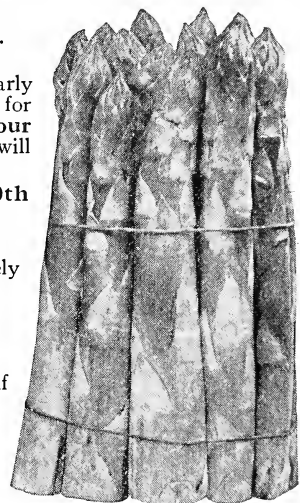
Roots—Two year old: 50 for 80 cts.; 100 for \$1.40, postpaid. By express, at purchaser's expense, 100 for 95 cts.; 1000 for \$7.50.

### 6 GIANT ARGENTEUIL

Popular in France on account of its large, thick, green stalks. Heads slightly pointed, closely set with scales. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 10 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 30 cts.; lb. \$1.00, postpaid. Roots at the same price as quoted for *Barr's Mammoth*.

### 8 PALMETTO

Large, thick, dark-green shoots with a distinctly pointed tip. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 10 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 30 cts.; lb. \$1.00, postpaid. Roots at the same price as quoted for *Barr's Mammoth*.



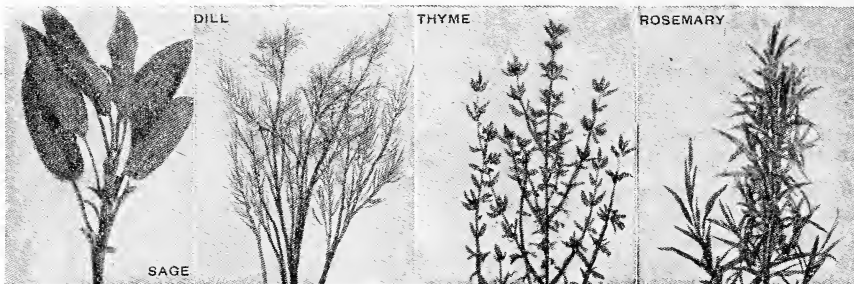
Asparagus

## MUSHROOMS

Can be grown in a warm cellar or inclosed shed, in which an even temperature of from fifty to sixty degrees can be maintained, and where fresh horse manure is available.

### 1411 FINEST AMERICAN-GROWN PURE CULTURE

Runs freely and produces the finest mushrooms. Ask for our free leaflet, "MUSHROOM CULTURE."  
45 cts. a brick, postpaid. By express: Lb. 25 cts.; 100 lbs. \$18.00.



## HERBS

Pot Herbs are a most desirable feature of the home garden. They may be freshly gathered for flavoring during the summer months; or the young stems and leaves can be gathered, tied in bunches, and dried for winter use. In a few varieties the seed is used for flavoring. These should be planted in drills or rows and threshed out when the seeds ripen. Our Special Leaflet, "CULINARY HERBS," gives full directions for growing the different varieties of herbs. It is sent free to all customers who ask for it on their orders.

**1304 ANISE** (*Pimpinella anisum*). Annual. Used for cordials, garnishing, and flavoring; the seeds have an aromatic taste. Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 25 cts.; ¼ lb. 75 cts., postpaid.

**1306 Balm** (*Melissa officinalis*). Perennial. The leaves have a fragrant odor, and are used for making balm wine and tea. Pkt. 10 cts.

**1307 BASIL, SWEET** (*Ocimum basilicum*). Annual. The leaves are used for flavoring soups, stews, and highly seasoned dishes. Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 40 cts.

**1309 BENE** (*Sesamum orientale*). Annual. The seeds furnish an oil used for softening the skin. The leaves make a drink beneficial for diarrhea. Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 35 cts.

**1311 BORAGE** (*Borago officinalis*). Annual. Leaves are used for flavoring soups, and flowers furnish bee pasture. Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 35 cts.; ¼ lb. \$1.00.

**1313 CARAWAY** (*Carum carui*). Annual. Grown for the seeds, which are used for flavoring bread, pastry, etc. Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 25 cts.

**1315 CATNIP, or CATMINT** (*Nepeta cataria*). Perennial. The leaves are used for seasoning. Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 30 cts.; ¼ lb. 90 cts., postpaid.

**1317 CORIANDER** (*Coriandrum sativum*). Perennial. Seeds are used in the manufacture of confectionery. Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 20 cts.; ¼ lb. 60 cts., postpaid.

**1319 Dill** (*Anethum graveolens*). Annual. The seeds have an aromatic odor and a pungent taste. Used as a condiment, also for pickling with cucumbers. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 20 cts.; ¼ lb. 55 cts.; lb. \$1.75, postpaid.

**1321 FENNEL, SWEET** (*Anethum fœniculum*). Annual. The leaves boiled are used in sauces. Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 20 cts.; ¼ lb. 55 cts., postpaid.

**1322 FLORENCE FENNEL** (*Fœniculum dulce*). Annual. Grown specially for the enlarged leaf-stalks at base of the stem of plants, and as soon as these have attained the size of a hen's egg they are "earthed up." Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 25 cts.; ¼ lb. 70 cts., postpaid.

**1323 HOREHOUND** (*Marrubium vulgare*). Perennial. The leaves are used for seasoning. Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 35 cts., postpaid.

**1325 LAVENDER** (*Lavandula spica*). Perennial. The variety generally sold. Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 45 cts.

**1326 LAVENDER** (*Lavandula vera*). Perennial. The true *Lavender*. Mostly grown for the sweet-scented flowers, which when dried are placed in the linen closet to impart their delicate perfume to the linen. Commercially grown for perfume factories. Pkt. 10 cts.; ½ oz. 60 cts.; oz. \$1.00, postpaid.

**1327 Marjoram, Sweet** (*Origanum marjorana*). Grown as annual. The leaves and the ends of the shoots are esteemed for seasoning in summer, and also dried for winter use. Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 75 cts.; ¼ lb. \$2.25, postpaid.

**1329 ROSEMARY** (*Rosmarinus officinalis*). Perennial. Leaves are used for seasoning. Pkt. 15 cts.

**1331 RUE** (*Ruta graveolens*). Perennial. For medicinal purposes; good for fowls. Pkt. 15 cts.; ¼ oz. 60 cts., postpaid.

**1333 Sage** (*Salvia officinalis*). Perennial. The most extensively used of all herbs for seasoning. Pkt. 15 cts.; oz. \$1.00; ¼ lb. \$3.00, postpaid.

**1335 Summer Savory** (*Satureia hortensis*). Annual. The leaves and flowers are used extensively for flavoring, particularly in soups and dressings. Pkt. 15 cts.; oz. \$1.00, postpaid.

**1337 WINTER SAVORY** (*Satureia montana*). Perennial. The leaves are used for flavoring. Very short. Pkt. 15 cts.

**1338 TANSY** (*Tanacetum vulgare*). Perennial. Pkt. 15 cts.

**1341 Thyme** (*Thymus vulgaris*). Perennial. The green parts, either fresh or dried, are used extensively for flavoring soups, gravies, stews, sauces, dressings, etc. The stems and leaves are easily dried in a shady warm place. Pkt. 15 cts.; ½ oz. 60 cts.

**1343 WORMWOOD** (*Artemisia absinthium*). Perennial. Used medicinally and is beneficial for poultry. Pkt. 15 cts.

## PARSLEY

The most widely grown and best known of all herbs. It is easily grown in the garden or in pots during winter-time. Parsley thrives well in either sun or shade and does not require any particular kind of soil. In the garden the seed is sown early in spring in shallow drills. The leaves are easily dried for winter use, keeping them in a plain or shady place.

**714 PLAIN OR SINGLE**. Plain leaves, excellent flavor, very extensively grown for bunching into soup bunches. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 15 cts.; ¼ lb. 40 cts.; lb. \$1.20, postpaid.

**717 EXTRA CURLED DWARF, OR EMERALD**. The moss-like leaves, of a handsome, bright-green color, are finely curled. As a garnishing variety *Emerald* has no superior. Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 15 cts.; ¼ lb. 45 cts.; lb. \$1.50, postpaid.

**719 DARK MOSS-CURLED**. The leaves are of an extra-dark-green color. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 15 cts.; ¼ lb. 45 cts.; lb. \$1.50, postpaid.

**721 FERN-LEAVED**. This is most exquisite in form and color—invaluable as a garnishing plant. Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 20 cts.; ¼ lb. 55 cts.; lb. \$1.75, postpaid.

BURPEE'S ANNUAL is considered The Leading American Seed Catalog. It contains a complete list of the best vegetables and flowers. It will be of service to you every month in the year. Keep your copy of BURPEE'S ANNUAL.

BURPEE'S ANNUAL will be mailed gladly to any friend or neighbor of yours who might be interested in gardening.

We all want to reduce the high cost of living. How can we do it? We can't make our own shoes, we can hardly make our own clothes—but we can grow vegetables in our back yard. You can reduce the high cost of living by producing more vegetable food.

To get full returns from your garden it is necessary to plant succession crops. Your garden can be made to yield continuously throughout the entire spring, summer, and fall. Make your garden work three seasons out of four.

We should all grow some winter cabbage and some root crops to store for winter use. We must think now of next winter.

Burpee's Fall Bulb Catalog will be issued early next September. It will be mailed to you free upon request. Better ask for a copy when you order your seeds.

# Vegetable Fruits

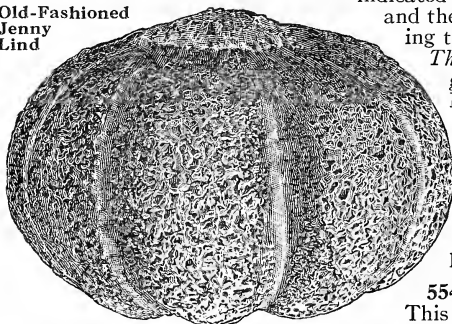
Under the heading Vegetable Fruits will be found some of our most delicious vegetables. Musk Melons and Watermelons, with their delicate and sweet flavor, have no equal. Others again, such as Tomatoes and Cucumbers, have a most refreshing taste and are excellent served raw. Pumpkin and Squashes stand altogether alone and deserve special attention, as they add to our list of vegetables for winter use. Most vegetable fruits do best on a light soil and develop to perfection in rather warm locations.

## MUSK MELONS Green-Fleshed Varieties

### 550 OLD-FASHIONED JENNY LIND

**The Very "Sweetest of All" Green-Fleshed Melons!** The flattened melons are of small size, measuring only three and a half to four and a half inches across by two and one-half to three inches from stem to blossom end. The blossom end often shows a knob or button, as indicated in the illustration. The seed cavity is small and the beautiful light-green flesh very thick, considering the size of the melons.

Old-Fashioned  
Jenny  
Lind



*This true old-fashioned JENNY LIND is the sweetest green-fleshed Musk Melon in existence.*

Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 35 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$1.00; lb. \$3.50, postpaid.

### 552 HACKENSACK, OR TURK'S CAP

Fruits are of good size, round, heavily ribbed, and netted. Hardy and productive, with thick, firm, green flesh of excellent flavor.

Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 15 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 45 cts.; lb. \$1.50, postpaid.

### 554 EXTRA-EARLY HACKENSACK

This is a selection of the popular *Hackensack*, ripening fully ten days earlier. Melons of good size, heavily ribbed

and netted; thick, light-green flesh of fine flavor, quickly taking the place of the ordinary *Hackensack*. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 20 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 60 cts.; lb. \$2.00, postpaid.

### 556 LONG ISLAND BEAUTY

Large size, heavily ribbed and netted, of very handsome appearance. Thick, light-green flesh of fine quality. It ripens as early as and is similar but superior to *Hackensack*.

Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 15 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 45 cts.; lb. \$1.50, postpaid.

### 560 PROLIFIC NUTMEG

Fruits round, seven inches in diameter, slightly flattened at the ends. Well ribbed and heavily netted; thick, pale-green flesh, sweet and melting.

Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 15 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 45 cts.; lb. \$1.50, postpaid.

### 562 MONTREAL NUTMEG

The large fruits are nearly round in form, slightly flattened at the ends, with very large, broad, heavy ribs. Dark-green skin, thickly covered with heavy netting. The flesh is two inches thick, light-green, melting, and of delicious flavor.

Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 25 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 75 cts.; lb. \$2.50, postpaid.



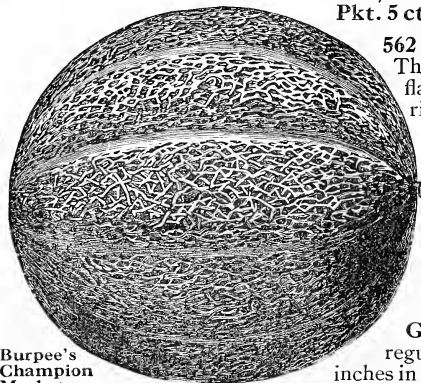
### 566 BURPEE'S CHAMPION MARKET

(See illustration at left.) A splendid variety of the *Netted Gem* type, producing fruits nearly three times as large as the original

Gem or "Rocky Ford." The melons are regular in form, nearly round, averaging eight inches in diameter, with heavy, well-netted ribs, thick, light-green flesh, with very thin rind and true *Netted Gem* flavor.



Burpee's  
Champion  
Market



Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 25 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 75 cts.; lb. \$2.50, postpaid.

### 568 BURPEE'S BAY VIEW

Oblong fruits, twelve to fifteen inches in length. Melons have broad, heavy ribs, well netted, with light-green flesh of good flavor.

Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 15 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 45 cts.; lb. \$1.50, postpaid.

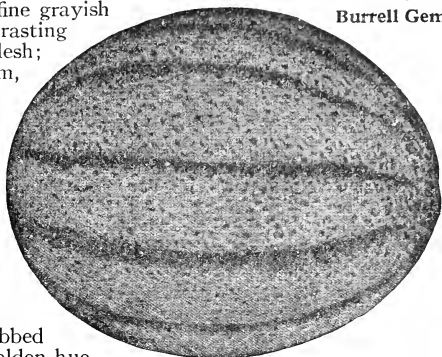
# Salmon-Fleshed Musk Melons

## 576 BURRELL GEM

Six to seven inches long by four and a half to five inches in diameter, rather sharply sloping at the ends. Well ribbed and covered with a fine grayish netting. The skin is a rich dark-green, contrasting finely with the deep orange-salmon-colored flesh; sweet and tender. The flesh is thick and firm, ripening close to the skin.

Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 25 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 75 cts.; lb. \$2.50, postpaid.

Burrell Gem



## 577 OSAGE, OR MILLER'S CREAM

Larger than *Emerald Gem*; nearly round in form, but having the same distinct dark-green skin with lighter bands between the ribs, and thick, firm, orange flesh of fine quality.

Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 20 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 60 cts.; lb. \$2.00, postpaid.

## 579 PAUL ROSE, OR PETOSKEY

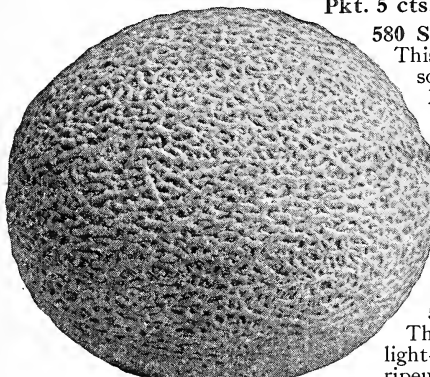
The fruits are nearly round or slightly oval, ribbed and heavily netted; of a light-green or faint golden hue when fully ripe. The flesh is thick, of rich deep-orange color, and ripens close down to the rind, with small seed cavity. The bright-salmon flesh is much firmer than that of our *Emerald Gem*. It is an excellent shipping variety, of handsome appearance and good quality.

Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 20 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 60 cts.; lb. \$2.00, postpaid.

## 580 SALMON-TINT POLLOCK NO. 25

This is an early melon of the solid netted type that is so desirable. Very small seed cavity, with thick, luscious flesh of genuine salmon tint shading to green near the rind. A splendid keeper that stands shipping and always arrives in the best possible condition. It has been alike successful in the East, in the West, and in the South. It is a prolific yielder and is pronounced by every one who has used it the ultimate in salmon-fleshed melons.

Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 30 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 90 cts.; lb. \$3.00, postpaid.



Salmon-Tint Pollock No. 25

## 584 TIP TOP

The melons are round in form, well ribbed, with light-green skin which becomes slightly netted when ripening, and average seven inches in diameter. The flesh is quite thick, bright-salmon in color, and of luscious flavor.

Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 20 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 60 cts.; lb. \$2.00, postpaid.

## 585 BURPEE'S GOLDEN EAGLE

Ten inches in length and seven inches in diameter; heavily ribbed and netted, with skin of a light-golden hue when ripe. The thick flesh is of a rich salmon, sweet and melting, with a delightful aroma. It is particularly desirable for heavy soils, and continues bearing throughout the season.

Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 20 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 60 cts.; lb. \$2.00, postpaid.



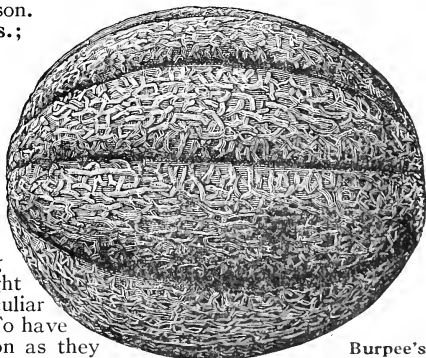
## 587 BANANA

Long fruits having a banana-like aroma. The fruits are from fifteen to twenty inches in length, and from four to six inches in diameter. The salmon flesh is thick and of a delicious flavor.

## 555 HONEY DEW MELON

Fruits with smooth, almost white rind, measuring about six inches in diameter by seven to eight inches long. The green flesh is thick and is of a peculiar sweet flavor, resembling a well-ripened banana. To have the melons in the best condition gather as soon as they slip from the vine and store in a cool place for two or three days, as they apparently are at their best when a trifle overripe.

Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 30 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 90 cts.; lb. \$3.00, postpaid.



Burpee's Golden Eagle



# Five Famous Burpee Melons

## 574 BURPEE'S FORDHOOK MUSK MELON



(See illustration in color, page 75.) **Very thick, orange-yellow flesh**, small seed cavity, and comparatively few seeds. The flesh is solid and of very high flavor, staying solid and firm after melon has become quite yellow. The vines are healthy and strong growers, setting fruit close to hill and keep on setting fruit throughout the season to end of vine. They are well ribbed and heavily netted. Equally good for home garden or market. **Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 25 cts.; 1/4 lb. 75 cts.; lb. \$2.50, postpaid.**

## 575 BURPEE'S EMERALD GEM MELON

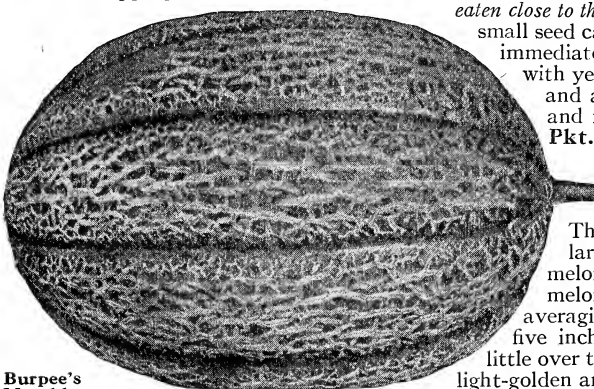


(For color illustration, see page 75.) This has long been acknowledged **the most delicious in flavor**. It is *one of the earliest to ripen*, and while too soft to stand shipping any great distance to market, it is unequaled for home use or nearby markets. **Very prolific**. If fruits are gathered as soon as they ripen, the vines will continue in bearing throughout the season. The melons are slightly flattened at the stem and blossom ends. The skin is smooth and free from netting. The fruits are heavily ribbed. Flesh very thick, with small seed cavity. **Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 25 cts.; 1/4 lb. 75 cts.; lb. \$2.50, postpaid.**

## 544 BURPEE'S NETTED GEM, OR ROCKY FORD MELON

The variety grown [at Rocky Ford, Colorado] is the **NETTED GEM**, which Burpee claims to have the distinction of **originating**.

A pure "Rocky Ford" cantaloupe when ripe has a silver-colored netting which is lace-like in appearance. The skin is green, turning to a peculiar gray color when the melon is fit for shipping. The flesh is green in color and *so sweet and luscious that it may be eaten close to the rind*. The melons have a



small seed cavity, and the portion of the flesh immediately surrounding it is slightly tinged with yellow. The melons weigh about one and a half pounds and are very solid and firm.

**Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 25 cts.; 1/4 lb. 75 cts.; lb. \$2.50, postpaid.**

## 546 BURPEE'S MATCHLESS



This might be described as a larger fruited oval or oblong melon of the *Netted Gem* type. The melons are regular in size and form, averaging about six inches in length by five inches in depth at the center, and a little over two pounds in weight. The skin is light-golden and heavily netted. **The meat is very thick, light-green in color, melting in character,**

Burpee's Matchless

but firm enough for long-distance shipments. **Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 20 cts.; 1/4 lb. 60 cts.; lb. \$2.00, postpaid.**

## 578 BURPEE'S SPICY CANTALOUPE

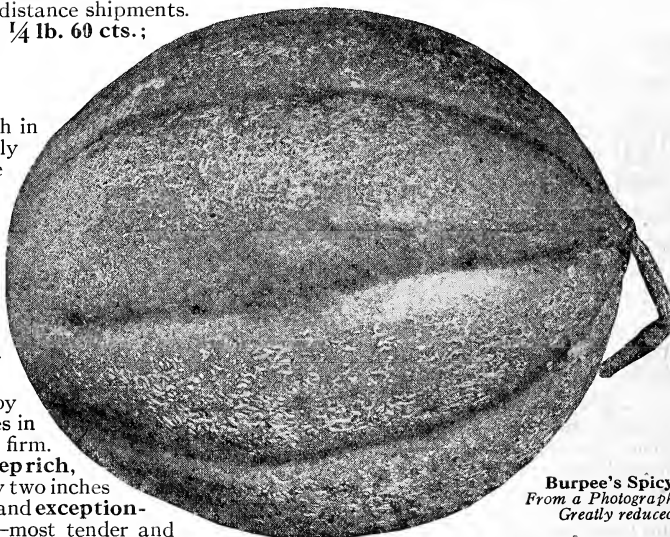
This is most distinct both in appearance and peculiarly rich, sugary flavor. The rind is of cream color, changing to a grayish-yellow as the melons mature, when the skin becomes also slightly marked with a delicate white netting, "like a cobweb." The mel-



ons run quite uniform in measuring from eight to ten inches in length by six to seven inches in diameter and are always firm.

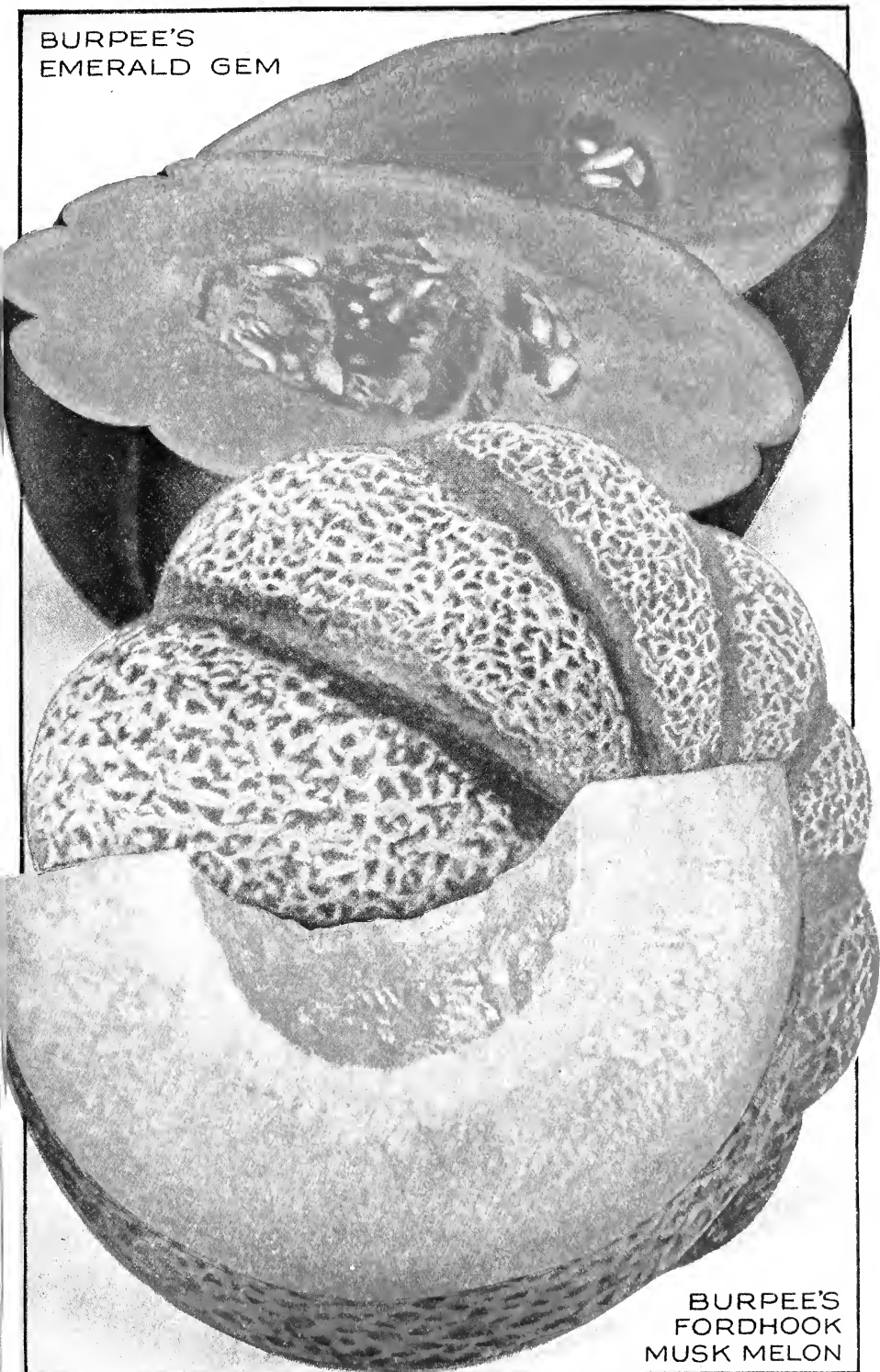
**The juicy flesh is of a deep rich, salmon color**, frequently two inches thick, entirely stringless, and **exceptionally luscious in flavor**—most tender and practically melting in the mouth.

**Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 25 cts.; 1/4 lb. 75 cts.; lb. \$2.50, postpaid.**



Burpee's Spicy  
From a Photograph  
Greatly reduced

BURPEE'S  
EMERALD GEM

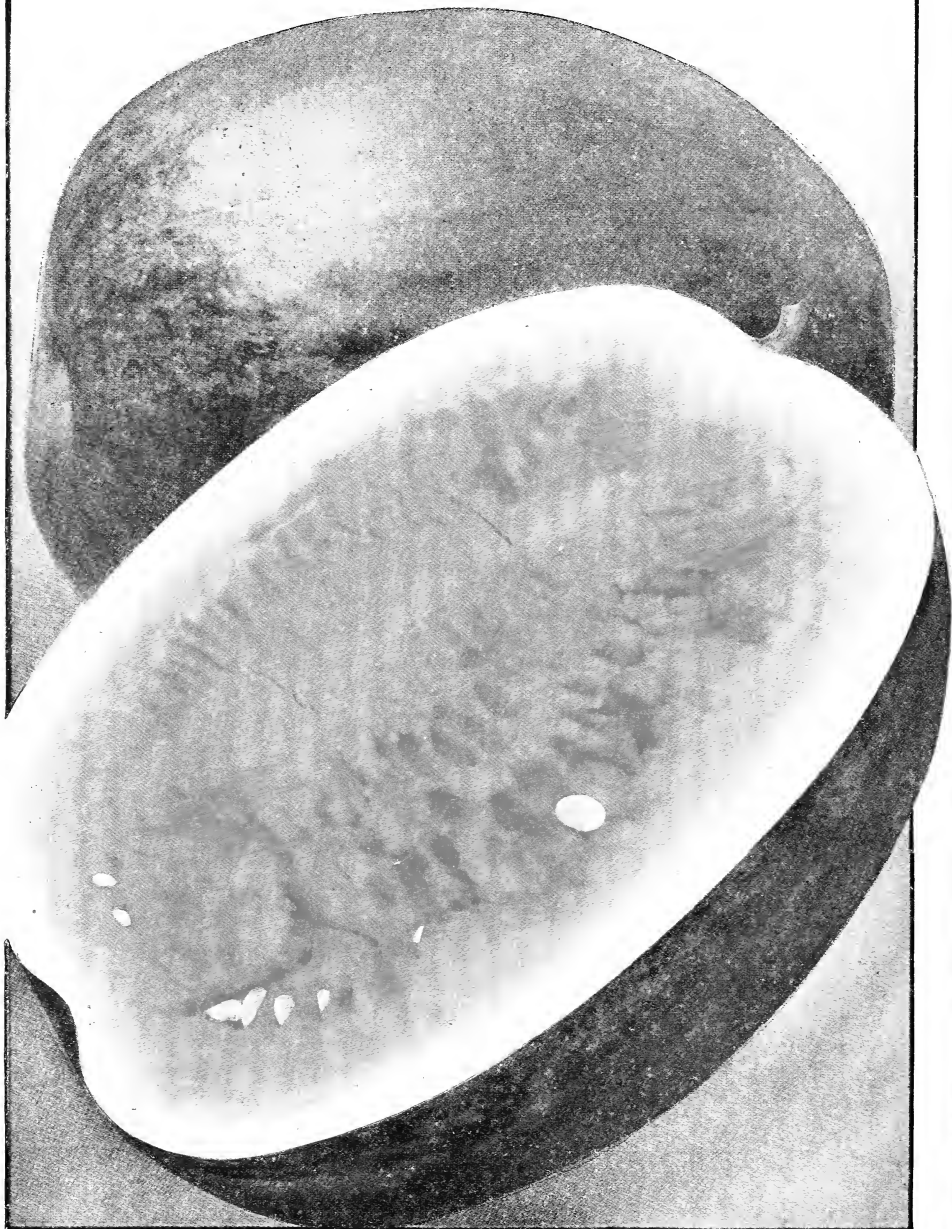


BURPEE'S  
FORDHOOK  
MUSK MELON

## 588 Burpee's Fordhook Early Watermelon ①

Fordhook Early is without a rival. It is still the earliest large-fruited Melon in cultivation. There is no other variety as well adapted to the home garden as Burpee's Fordhook Early. Fordhook Early may be planted in hills as close as 6 feet each way. Its value to the home gardener in the North is enhanced by its extra-early maturity. The fruits are of good size, short and blocky. The skin is dark green, occasionally with faint stripes of lighter green. The rind is thin; the flesh is bright red, crisp, and remarkably sweet.

Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 20 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 50 cts.; lb. \$1.50, postpaid.



# WATERMELONS

## 593 WATERMELON—BABY-DELIGHT

BABY-DELIGHT is a *real Watermelon*, of luscious sweetness but diminutive size. The ripe melons weigh only from three to six pounds each. The skin is lustrous dark-green, the rind thin but strong. The rich-carmine crystalline flesh is always solid, and of exceptionally sweet flavor.

BABY-DELIGHT is without doubt one of the most prolific Watermelons. One of

our growers remarked that fields of this new BABY-DELIGHT Melon would yield weight for weight with any of the larger varieties by reason of its *extraordinary prolificness*.

Fruits weigh five to seven pounds each.

Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 30 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 90 cts.;

lb. \$3.00, postpaid.

## 590 COLE'S EARLY

Extra early, but small; skin green,

striped white. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 10 cts.;

$\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 30 cts.; lb. \$1.00, postpaid.

## 611 BURPEE'S HALBERT HONEY

### WATERMELON



The finest of all Watermelons for the home garden and for local markets! A superb luscious variety. Fruits regular in outline, with a dark, rich colored skin.

The vines are of strong, vigorous growth and set fruits

very freely—four or five fine large melons are frequently seen clustered closely together. *Will ripen choice fruits even in the Northern States* if planted in a

good location. The melons average

eighteen to twenty inches long and

are full or bluntly rounded at both

ends. The skin is a dark glossy-

green. The flesh is a beautiful

crimson, the rich coloring and

luscious quality extending to the

thin rind. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 15 cts.;

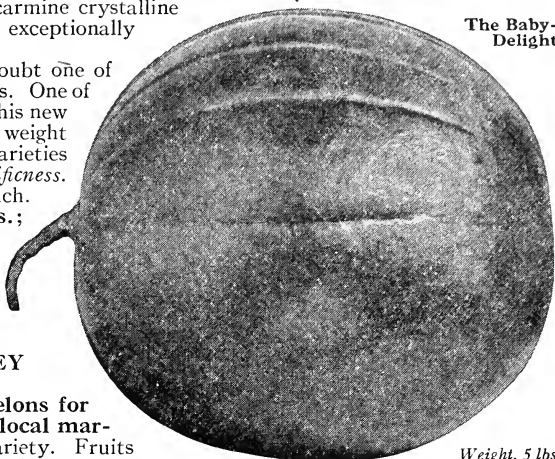
$\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 40 cts.; lb. \$1.25, postpaid.

oz. 15 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.

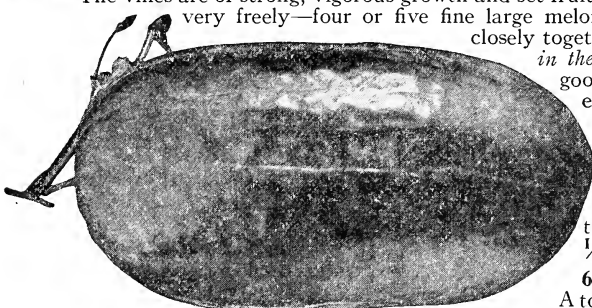
40 cts.; lb. \$1.25,

postpaid.

The Baby-Delight



Weight, 5 lbs  
14 ozs.



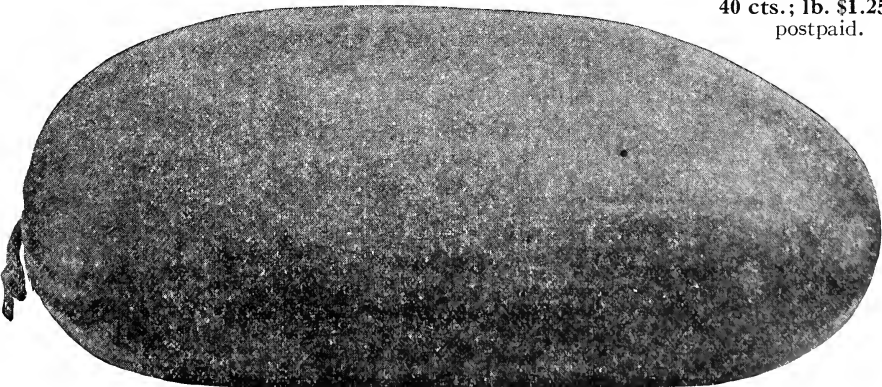
Burpee's Halbert Honey Watermelon—greatly reduced from a Photograph

and weigh from fifty to sixty pounds. The dark-green rind is tough but thin. The deep-red flesh extends to within three-quarters of an inch of the green rind. The seeds are brown tipped with white. Pkt. 5 cts.;

oz. 15 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb.

40 cts.; lb. \$1.25,

postpaid.

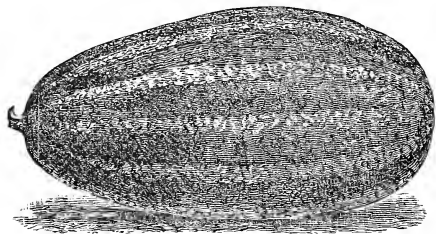


A Specimen of Tom Watson Watermelon—from a Photograph

# WATERMELONS—Continued

## 624 STRIPED GYPSY, OR "GEORGIA RATTLESNAKE"

Fruits oblong in form, of good size and excellent quality. The skin or rind is mottled and striped. The flesh is dark-red, of sweet flavor.  
Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 10 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 30 cts.; lb. \$1.00.



Striped Gypsy

form, and have a firm, dark-green, slightly striped rind.

Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 10 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 30 cts.; lb. \$1.00, postpaid.

## 628 FLORIDA FAVORITE

A large, oblong melon, with dark-green skin, faintly striped with still deeper shade; deep-red flesh of excellent flavor.

Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 10 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 30 cts.; lb. \$1.00, postpaid.

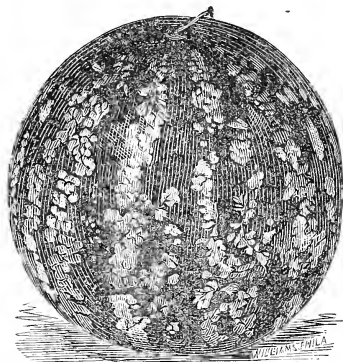
## 620 McIVER SUGAR ☉

The fruits are oblong in form, averaging twenty inches in length; the skin is marked with broad

stripings

of light-green on a dark ground. The flesh is of a pale-pink color, very crisp and sweet. The fruits bear shipping well.

Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 15 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 40 cts.; lb. \$1.25.



Colorado Preserving

## 634 ICE CREAM, OR "PEERLESS"

An oblong melon with dark-green skin. Flesh sweet; deep pink.

Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 15 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 40 cts.; lb. \$1.25.

## 645 COLORADO PRESERVING, OR CITRON ☉

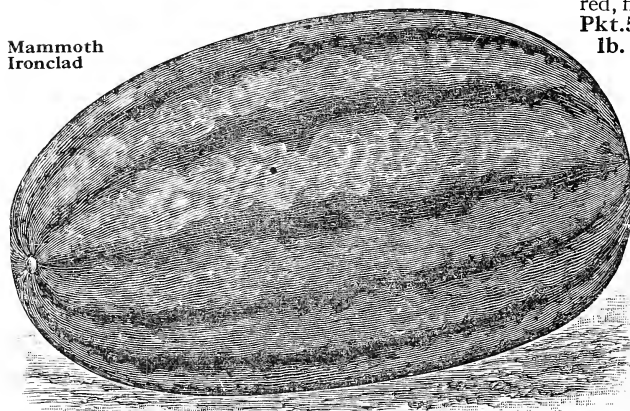
This is a large-fruited strain of Citron for preserving. Flesh clear white and very solid; olive-green seed.

Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 15 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 40 cts.; lb. \$1.25.

## 598 BURPEE'S MAMMOTH IRONCLAD

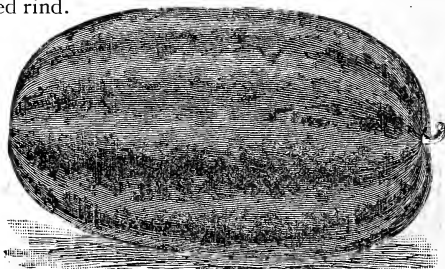
Large, heavy, oblong fruits, averaging two feet in length under good cultivation. Skin dark-green, with bright stripes of lighter green in mottled markings. Rind thin but tough; flesh bright-

red, firm, crisp, free from stringiness.  
Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 10 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 25 cts.; lb. 80 cts., postpaid.



Mammoth Ironclad

Alabama Sweet



Watermelons have always been a specialty with us, and we know, by trials made annually at our Sunnybrook Farm in southern New Jersey, that stocks offered are unsurpassed. We have had the pleasure of introducing the following well-known Burpee varieties: Cuban Queen, Mammoth Ironclad, Hungarian Honey, Fordhook Early, Kleckley Sweet, Sugar Stick, and Shaker Blue.



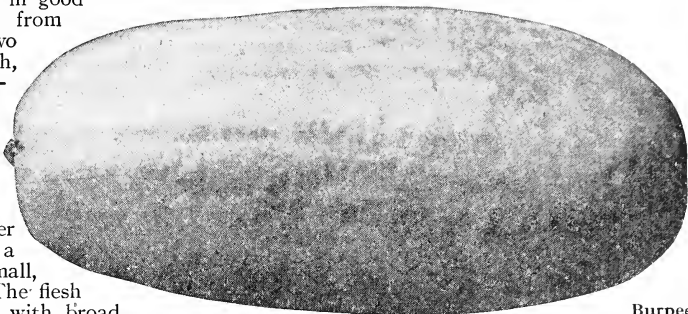


### 601 SUGAR STICK

A large, light-green or grayish melon of finest flavor. The vines are of strong, vigorous growth, setting large melons in good numbers, measuring from twenty inches to two

feet in length, with an average weight of thirty pounds.

The rind is thin and tough, and the skin a light-grayish-green with narrow darker green lines, giving a mottled effect of small, half-inch squares. The flesh is a deep, rich-red, with broad, solid heart, crisp and sugary. (See illustration to right.) Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 10 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 30 cts.; lb. \$1.00, postpaid.



Burpee's  
Sugar Stick

### 606 SWEET HEART

Popular for market. Large heavy fruits of oval or round form; skin very pale green, with distinct netted lines of a slightly darker shade. The melons bear shipping well. The solid flesh is a deep-red. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 10 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 30 cts.; lb. \$1.00, postpaid.

### 596 BURPEE'S CUBAN QUEEN

This magnificent variety was originally brought from the West Indies, and seed first offered by us in 1881. The melons are of large size, oblong in form, slightly tapering at the stem end. Skin beautifully striped in dark and light green. Rind quite thin, but tough enough for shipping. Flesh bright-red, firm, and luscious.

Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 10 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 30 cts.; lb. \$1.00, postpaid.

### 633 SHAKER BLUE

Sometimes called "White-Seeded Triumph," with melons as large as the *Triumph*, but much better flavor and even handsomer in appearance. The fruits are round-oval, sixteen to eighteen inches long by twelve to fifteen inches in diameter. The skin is dark-green, striped with narrow bands of lighter green. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 10 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 30 cts.; lb. \$1.00, postpaid.

### 644 THE LUSCIOUS GOLDEN-SWEET WATERMELON

GOLDEN-SWEET resembles our famous *Kleckley Sweets* in form. The rind is dark-green and the bright golden-yellow flesh extends very close to the rind. The meat is of a luscious, sugary flavor, and is of so firm a texture as to insure the fruits arriving in good condition on distant markets. The melons are of medium size, averaging about twenty pounds in weight. A really delicious yellow-fleshed Watermelon.

Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 10 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 30 cts.; lb. \$1.00, postpaid.

### 608 KLECKLEY SWEETS—GROWN BY THE ORIGINATOR

*Kleckley Sweets* is one of the best known varieties of Watermelon and most desirable to plant for home use or nearby markets. The fruits are very attractive, oblong in form, and have a glossy, dark-green skin. The rind is unusually thin, with flesh ripening close to it. The color of the flesh is a beautiful bright-scarlet. The heart is broad and remarkably solid. The white seeds are placed close to the rind. It is astonishing to find such crisp and sugary flesh without even signs of stringiness in such large fruits. The melons average eighteen to twenty inches in length by ten to twelve inches in diameter.

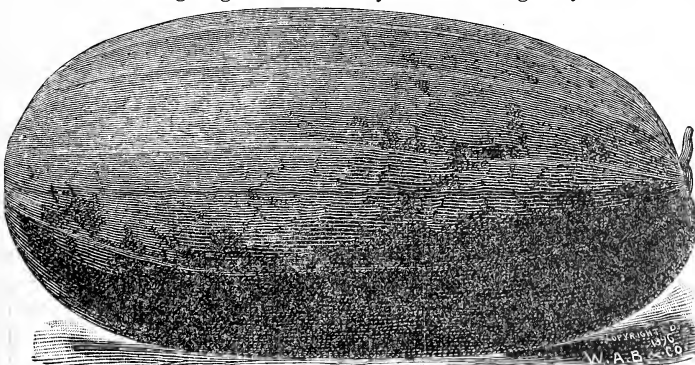


We consider it a most desirable variety for the home garden. For the seed grown by the originator, Mr. Kleckley, upon his home ranch in Texas, we charge:

Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 15 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 45 cts.; lb. \$1.50, postpaid.

### 609 KLECKLEY SWEETS

Seed offered has been grown under contract. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 10 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 30 cts.; lb. \$1.00, postpaid.



Burpee's Kleckley Sweets Watermelon—from a Photograph



# TOMATOES

## 1134 VICTORIA WHOLE-SALAD

**Most Prolific and Best of All Small "Individual" Tomatoes.** This unique variety is decidedly the best "individual" Tomato to serve whole (as is the general custom in Europe) that we have ever grown. In our cultures at FORDHOOK FARMS it did not mature so early as *Sunnybrook Earliana*,

but in all other respects the enthusiastic claims of the originator were more than maintained by the magnificent crop of fruit, which was a constant delight to the eye as well as a pleasure to the palate. It bears so *tremendously and continuously* that twenty plants should yield more than an average family could eat in a season, unless, by reason of its fine flavor, the appetite for "whole tomato" salad increases greatly, as is, indeed, likely to be the case! The vines are of vigorous growth, and when trained on a trellis, attain a height of from six to eight feet. The fruits are borne in clusters practically along the entire vine. We have counted as many as *three hundred and seventy-three ripe and green Tomatoes on a single plant at one time*; they measure two to two and one-half inches in diameter by one and a half to one and three-quarter inches from stem to blossom end, and weigh three to four ounces each. They are always solid, smooth and firm, of a rich, bright-scarlet color right up to the stem. The skin is strong but peels easily even without dipping in hot water. The firm fruits are just the right size for serving whole, while the flavor is the best we have ever found in a "whole-salad" tomato. *Burpee's Fordhook-Grown Seed.*

Pkt. 10 cts.; ½ oz. 30 cts.; oz. 50 cts.; ¼ lb. \$1.50; lb. \$5.00, postpaid.

## 1103 SPARKS' EARLIANA

For early crops this is planted almost exclusively in southern New Jersey, the section which practically controls the markets of our eastern cities during the last week in June and the month of July.

The plants are compact in growth, with short, close-jointed branches, setting fruits very freely in the center. So freely are the fruits set that one plant will produce a five-eighths bushel basket of tomatoes during the season of about four weeks, which covers the bearing period.

The tomatoes are quite uniform in size, averaging three inches in diameter and from two to two and a half inches in depth; they are fleshy, solid, and excellent for shipping purposes. **Choice seed of our own growing in its "South Jersey Home,"** this strain is far superior to the stock usually sold, but, of course, not equal to the new *Sunnybrook Earliana*.

Pkt. 15 cts.; ½ oz. 70 cts.; oz. \$1.20; ¼ lb. \$3.60; lb. \$12.00, postpaid.

Victoria  
Whole-  
Salad

## Fordhook and Sunnybrook Farms

are famous for High Quality Tomato Seeds. The care with which these important crops are handled has established a world-wide reputation for FORDHOOK and SUNNYBROOK strains of Tomatoes. Complete machinery for growing, cleaning, and curing is a part of the equipment on both farms. This assures

**Seed of the Highest Burpee-Quality**

### 1102 FORDHOOK FIRST ☉

A splendid variety, especially adapted for moist or heavy soils. Plants of strong running growth, fruits three to four inches in diameter, very smooth and free from cracks,



quite deep through, and richly colored deep-purple.

Very fleshy, with but few seeds and of the finest flavor.

In the New England States it will ripen earlier than any other variety, and at the same time produces smooth, handsome fruits, although other extra-early sorts are quite rough and irregular in form. (See illustration to right.)

Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 45 cts.;

¼ lb. \$1.35; lb. \$4.50, postpaid.

### 1112 BURPEE'S TRUCKER'S FAVORITE ☉

The choicest large-fruited purple

Tomato. Most regular in form and size, thick meated and very solid, this is one of the largest smooth tomatoes grown. Of a beautiful

purplish-red color, well ripened throughout, the smooth, fleshy fruits always bring the highest prices on our Philadelphia markets. It is a main-crop variety, maturing the same season as the *Matchless* and equally as productive. As a dependable main-crop pink or purple sort, no variety in cultivation today is the equal of this TRUCKER'S FAVORITE.

Carefully selected strain "*Fordhook-grown*" seed.

Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 65 cts.; ¼ lb. \$1.95; lb. \$6.50, postpaid.

### 1105 SUCCESS

The fruits, set in clusters, average three inches in diameter and two to two and a half inches through from stem to blossom end. Color, brightest scarlet; perfectly smooth; very meaty, of fine flavor. It ripens with the second-earlies and yields abundantly throughout the season. The handsome color, even size, and great solidity of **SUCCESS** make it an excellent market sort, and the flavor is most delicious. Popular with both canners and private planters. *We offer seed only of our own growing at FORDHOOK FARMS.*

Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 45 cts.; ¼ lb. \$1.35; lb. \$4.50, postpaid.

### 1114 TRUE GIANT PONDEROSA ☉

As now grown by us, although still too "ribbed" for market, the fruits are so very solid and luscious that for family gardens it well merits the *Bull's-Eye*! The vines are of strong growth and bear well. The deep-purple fruits are oblong in form, generally ridged or ribbed. They are solidly fleshy, with small seed-cells; of extra sweet flavor. Planted in good soil, fruits frequently attain a weight of one pound or more. Selected strain, *Fordhook-grown seed.*

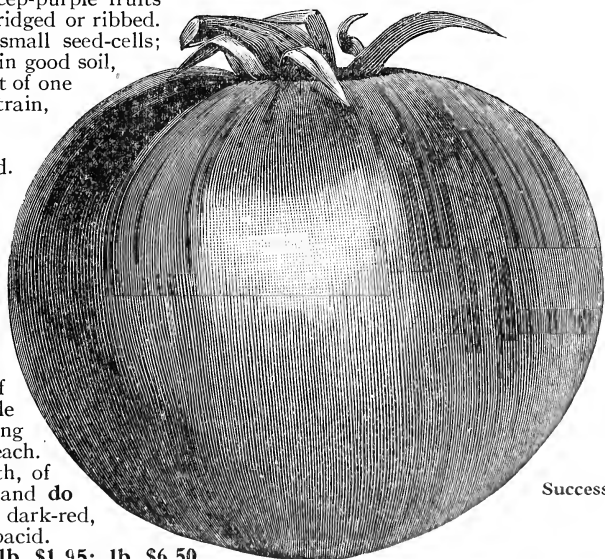
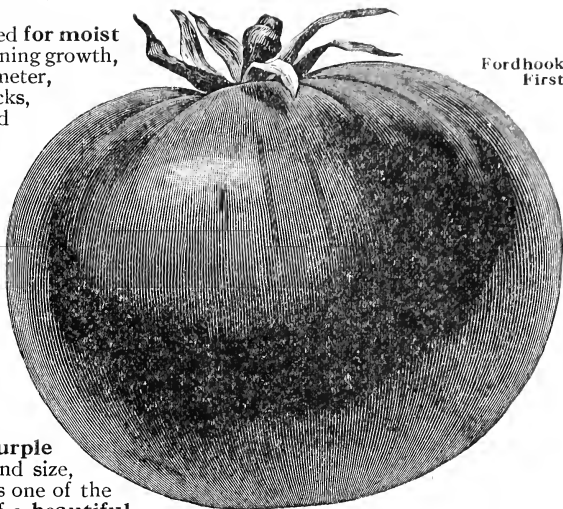
Pkt. 15 cts.; oz. \$1.00;  
¼ lb. \$3.00; lb. \$10.00, postpaid.

### 1120 BONNY BEST

This variety is a selection of *Chalk's Jewel*, developed in Montgomery County, Pennsylvania. The plants grow vigorously and make a spreading, somewhat upright growth. The foliage is large, smooth, and deep green. The fruits are generally borne in clusters of from three to five. The single fruits are of good size, weighing about five to six ounces each. They are flattened but smooth, of a solid red up to the stem, and do not crack. The tasty flesh is dark-red, of fine texture, and slightly subacid.

Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 65 cts.; ¼ lb. \$1.95; lb. \$6.50.

Fordhook  
First



Success

# TOMATOES—Continued

## 1066 ACME

This is an old variety of medium size and spreading, upright growth. Fruits are produced in clusters of from three to five, somewhat flattened, and show a tendency to grow irregular. The skin is an even purple-red color, while the flesh is dark red, fine in texture, and slightly acid. Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 45 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$1.35; lb. \$4.50, postpaid.

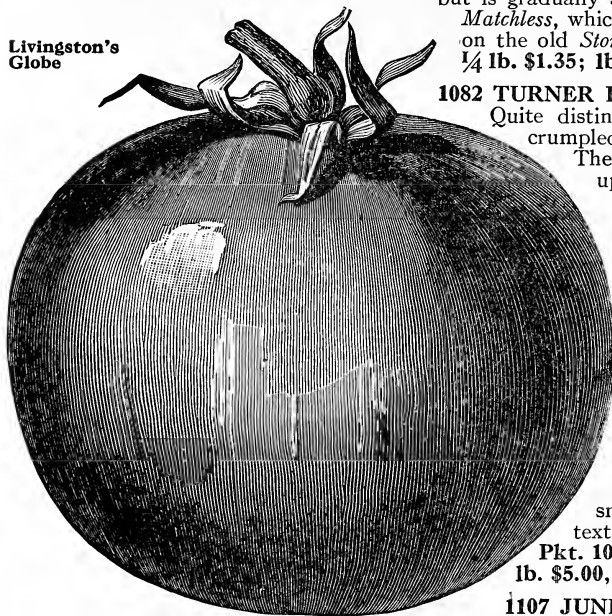
## 1067 LIVINGSTON'S GLOBE

A main crop variety, first introduced fifteen years ago, and said to be a cross between *Stone* and *Ponderosa*. The plants are vigorous, making a large spreading and slightly upright growth. The leaves are large, smooth, and of a light green color. The fruits are of medium size, weighing about five ounces. LIVINGSTON'S GLOBE is an outstanding variety. The truly globe-shaped fruits are a fine purple-red and very attractive. On account of its hardiness and excellent shipping qualities it is extensively planted by Southern truckers for early shipment to the North. *Selected Fordhook-grown seed*. Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 60 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$1.80; lb. \$6.00, postpaid.

## 1074 STONE

A late or main-crop variety, making a heavy growth and yielding a large crop. Large, smooth, solid fruits of a deep scarlet color. STONE is extensively grown for canning and market, but is gradually abandoned in favor of *Burpee's Matchless*, which latter is a great improvement on the old *Stone*. Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 45 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$1.35; lb. \$4.50, postpaid.

Livingston's  
Globe



## 1082 TURNER HYBRID, OR MIKADO

Quite distinct in having broad, very much crumpled, and practically entire leaves.

The plants make a vigorous, slightly upright growth. The fruits are large, somewhat flattened, and slightly irregular. The rich purple-red color is evenly developed from blossom scar to stem end. The light red flesh is firm, slightly subacid, and fine in texture.

Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 45 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$1.35; lb. \$4.50.

## 1094 DWARF CHAMPION

Of typical upright and dwarf habit, with dark-green, rough, and thick foliage. Fruits purplish-red, globe shaped, and smooth. Flesh light red, fine in texture, and slightly acid.

Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 50 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$1.50; lb. \$5.00, postpaid.

## 1107 JUNE PINK

A large and distinctly pink-fruited variety of spreading growth. Fruits usually weigh from five to six ounces and are flattened and slightly corrugated. The purplish-red flesh is fine in texture and slightly acid. Does well in the South. Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 50 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$1.50; lb. \$5.00, postpaid.

# Yellow-Fruited Tomatoes

## 1136 GOLDEN QUEEN

Yellow-fruited tomatoes are not as widely grown as the red ones, even though they are much preferred by some people on account of their flavor. GOLDEN QUEEN is the standard main-crop variety, bearing a large crop of smooth, flattened, and pure yellow fruits.

Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 65 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$1.95; lb. \$6.50, postpaid.

## 1138 GOLDEN DWARF CHAMPION



This is similar in growth to the purple-fruited *Dwarf Champion*, being of erect, bushy habit, dwarf and compact, with heavy, dark-green potato-leaf foliage. The Tomatoes are smooth, round, deep through, and of a bright lemon-yellow; of excellent flavor. Plants can be grown closely together and are wonderfully productive. The fruits are more solid than those of other yellow-fruited sorts, and of excellent flavor. On account of the small seed cavities, agreeable flavor, and the solid, lemon-yellow flesh, GOLDEN DWARF CHAMPION is widely used for slicing and salads.

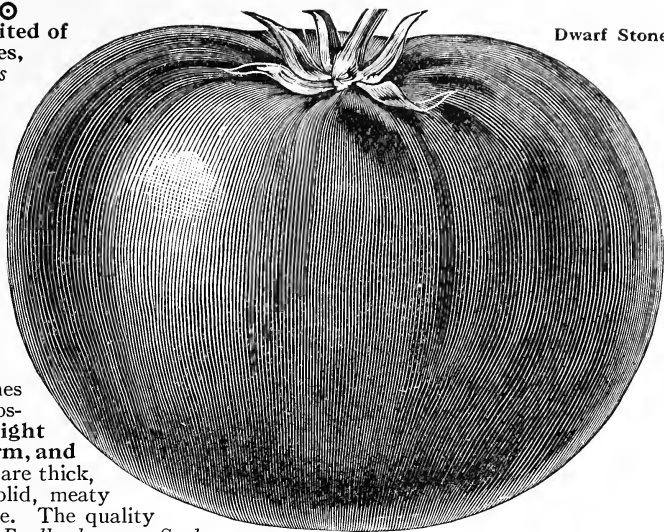
Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 65 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$1.95; lb. \$6.50, postpaid.

### 1093 DWARF STONE ◉

This is the largest fruited of all the dwarf tomatoes, excepting only *Burpee's Dwarf-Giant*. The plants are strong and vigorous, of a typical dwarf growth, but not nearly so neat and compact as *Burpee's Dwarf-Giant*. The fruits are produced in clusters of three to five, and as the growth is close-jointed, each plant produces a large number.

The tomatoes average four inches in diameter and two and a half inches in depth from stem to blossom end. They are **bright scarlet, very smooth, firm, and solid**; the walls of flesh are thick, and the fruits have a solid, meaty center, with no hard core. The quality is of the finest. *We offer Fordhook-grown Seed exclusively.* Pkt. 15 cts.; oz. 75 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$2.25; 1b. \$7.50, postpaid.

Dwarf Stone



## Small-Fruited Tomatoes

These are very delicious for preserving. Vines are immensely productive. *The seed has all been grown on FORDHOOK FARMS* and, like all Fordhook specialties, is the best that can be produced.

### 1137 YELLOW PLUM

Size and shape just like a plum, of a bright lemon-yellow; fleshy, and of excellent flavor. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 35 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$1.00; 1b. \$3.50, postpaid.

### 1139 YELLOW PEAR

Similar to the *Yellow Plum*, but the fruits have a slim neck or *distinct pear shape*. Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 55 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$1.65; 1b. \$5.50, postpaid.

### 1141 PEACH

The fruits average one and a half inches in diameter. Skin is covered with a slight bloom or *pubescence*, as in a peach, and of beautiful pinkish coloring. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 45 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$1.35; 1b. \$4.50, postpaid.

Red Pear-Shaped  
From a Photograph

### 1143 BURBANK PRESERVING ◉



The plants are of dwarf, stocky growth, with dark-green, potato-leaf foliage. The small, round, scarlet tomatoes, borne in clusters, measure only three-quarters of an inch in diameter; of unusually rich, sweet flavor. Widely used for marmalade.

Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 50 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$1.50; 1b. \$5.00, postpaid.

### 1145 YELLOW CHERRY

The small yellow fruits, borne in clusters, average half an inch in diameter.

Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 50 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$1.50; 1b. \$5.00, postpaid.

### 1147 RED CHERRY

Little fruits of a bright scarlet color.

Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 35 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$1.00; 1b. \$3.50, postpaid.

### 1149 RED PEAR-SHAPED ◉

This is a leading favorite for preserves and also to make "tomato figs." The fruit is bright red, of *true pear shape*, and of rich, distinct flavor.

Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 50 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$1.50; 1b. \$5.00, postpaid.

### 1151 STRAWBERRY, OR HUSK TOMATO

Plants of low-spreading growth and immensely productive. The small yellow fruits are each enclosed in a husk. Of very sweet flavor; highly esteemed for preserving or making pies.

Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 35 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$1.00; 1b. \$3.50, postpaid.



### 1097 BURPEE'S SUNNYBROOK EARLIANA

(See color illustration, page 85.) The Earliest of All Red Tomatoes.

**Sunnybrook Special** produces a closer jointed and more compact vine, set quite as freely with fine smooth tomatoes, which are usually ready to market **five days earlier!** The entire crop can be gathered generally in about three weeks from the time the first fruit ripens. **SUNNYBROOK EARLIANA** is undoubtedly the **very best earliest scarlet-fruited Tomato.** Gardeners who are seeking to have good smooth tomatoes "first on market" can find nothing equal. It is remarkable for its freedom from the rough fruits which southern growers call *cat-faced* tomatoes. It is a very prolific strain.

Not only does the plant bear a large cluster as the crown set, but also produces a number of smaller clusters and single fruits on the side branches. **SUNNYBROOK EARLIANA** is the **first on the market.**

*This special stock is grown exclusively on our SUNNYBROOK FARM in Gloucester County, New Jersey, where we have been carefully selecting it for earliness and quality. The shortest crop in years.* Pkt. 15 cts.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 80 cts.; oz. \$1.50, postpaid.

### 1101 CHALK'S EARLY JEWEL

(See color illustration, page 85.) The Largest, Smoothest, and Finest-flavored Extra-early Bright-red Tomato! Within a week to ten days as early as *Sparks' Earliana*, it is even a heavier cropper, with tomatoes of larger size and sweeter flavor, produced continuously throughout the season.

Without question the **best early home garden Tomato.** The plants are of strong, robust growth, with ample foliage to protect the fruits from sunscald, and not likely to blight. The bright scarlet fruits are smoothly round, very deep, and solidly meaty, with only a few quite small seed-cells, and of remarkably *fine sweet flavor.* For general garden planting, or where an **extra-fine fruit** is desired for **early market,** we consider **CHALK'S JEWEL** to be the most desirable variety in cultivation. *Seed of our own growing at FORDHOOK FARMS.*

Pkt. 10 cts.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 40 cts.; oz. 75 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$2.25; 1b. \$7.50, postpaid.

### 1095 BURPEE'S DWARF-GIANT

Is much the largest fruited of all dwarf Tomatoes! The tomatoes are truly gigantic in size. They are produced in clusters and weigh from ten to twenty ounces each. The color is a rich purple-crimson, and the depth of color is maintained throughout the entire fruit.

It is the **most meaty of all Tomatoes!** The flesh is so firm and the tomatoes are so heavy that they might be described almost "*solid as a rock!*" **BURPEE'S DWARF-GIANT** is the most nearly seedless of all tomatoes. The firm, fine-grained flesh extends to the very center, with no trace whatever of a core.

**Unequaled in delicious flavor!** In rich, sweet flavor it surpasses even our famous *Matchless* and *Trucker's Favorite*, as well as its parent, *Ponderosa*.

**Of uniformly compact, bush-like growth.** While of the true dwarf type, the plants are very strong and vigorous. The new **DWARF-GIANT** is most productive and has only one fault:

Originated from a cross made between *Dwarf Champion* and *Ponderosa*, it inherits the character of the latter parent to bear "*ribbed*" fruits.


Is a **mid-season or main-crop Tomato.** It ripens a week to ten days earlier than *Ponderosa*, and the plants continue to mature the superb "*giant-solid*" tomatoes in abundance until killed by frost. All our seed has been produced upon our own farms in Pennsylvania and New Jersey. Pkt. 15 cts.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 70 cts.; oz. \$1.20;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$3.60; 1b. \$12.00, postpaid.

### 1108 BURPEE'S MATCHLESS TOMATO

(See color illustration on front page.) **Best Large-Fruited Smooth Main-Crop Tomato.** **MATCHLESS** is a strong, vigorous grower, with thrifty vines which produce large, handsome tomatoes most abundantly throughout the season. The fruits, of a **rich cardinal-red**, are remarkably solid and smooth, free from core, and uniformly of the finest flavor. The tomatoes are always of the **largest size**; they do not become smaller even late in the season, as the healthy growth of vine and foliage carry magnificent crops until killed by frost. For tomatoes of the largest size, always **perfectly smooth**, firm, and handsome, long-keeping qualities, and finest flavor, thousands of planters agree with us that there is no other scarlet-fruited Tomato that can equal **BURPEE'S MATCHLESS.**

Pkt. 10 cts.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 40 cts.; oz. 75 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$2.25; 1b. \$7.50, postpaid.

All our tomato seed has been carefully grown from selected stock seed. We do not handle so-called canners, seed, which is in every respect inferior and undesirable.



BURPEE'S SUNNYBROOK EARLIANA  
TOMATO

CHALK'S  
JEWEL

BURPEE'S  
DWARF GIANT





BURPEE'S PEPPER  
SWEET MEAT GLORY

BURPEE'S  
BLACK  
BEAUTY  
EGG  
PLANT

BURPEE'S  
RUBY KING PEPPER

# EGG PLANTS

The Egg Plant is becoming more and more popular in our markets, and the market season is greatly prolonged by early shipments from the South.

In our vicinity seed should be sown in March in a warm hotbed in light, rich soil, or they may be started in a box in the sunny window of a warm room. Sow thinly, and when young plants show two or three leaves, transplant to stand three inches apart each way; or, if growing indoors, set them in small flower-pots. Kept constantly warm and moist, they will make fine large plants by the time the weather is warm enough to set them outdoors, which should not be done until the trees are in full leaf. Set plants in rich soil two feet apart each way. Hoe frequently to keep soil loose and fine.

## 420 BURPEE'S BLACK BEAUTY ☉

**The Earliest and Best of all Large-Fruited Egg Plants.** (See color illustration on page 86.)

It is valuable alike to the private planter and to the extensive grower for market. **BLACK BEAUTY** produces fruits *fully as large as* and ready for use ten days to two weeks earlier than the *New York Improved Spineless*. The grand large fruits are thick, of most attractive form. The skin is a rich, lustrous purplish-black. The intensely brilliant coloring is *uniform over the whole fruit* and does not fade or change to a lighter color at the blossom end. The calyx is bright green, contrasting finely with the dark satin skin of the fruit, and is *entirely free from spines or thorns*.



The fruits set most freely and *develop remarkably quickly*, so that the entire crop can be gathered before there is any danger of frost.

Pkt. 15 cts.; ½ oz. 40 cts.; oz. 75 cts.; ¼ lb. \$2.25; 1b. \$7.50, postpaid.

## 422 NEW YORK IMPROVED SPINELESS

*This is an entirely spineless strain* of the large purple-fruited type. The plants are most productive, fruits are large and well colored, but stems and calyx are *entirely free from spines*.

Pkt. 10 cts.; ½ oz. 40 cts.; oz. 70 cts.; ¼ lb. \$2.10; 1b. \$7.00, postpaid.

## 428 EARLY LONG PURPLE

This variety has long fruits two and a half inches in diameter and from six to eight inches in length. Very rich, dark coloring.

Pkt. 10 cts.; ½ oz. 40 cts.; oz. 70 cts.; ¼ lb. \$2.10; 1b. \$7.00, postpaid.

# PEPPERS

The large-fruited, mild-flavored Peppers have become highly esteemed for serving as a separate vegetable. The thick-fleshed fruits, either ripe or green, are filled with finely cut meat or other ingredients and served baked or stewed. The small-fruited sorts, which are hot and pungent, are used extensively for flavoring.

Although the pepper is at home in tropical and subtropical countries, it is grown successfully in nearly all parts of the United States. It is a tender plant and cannot endure frost, but does not require as high temperatures as the egg plant. Any warm, deep, fairly moist, medium or sandy loam produces good peppers. Good drainage is essential, and a southern exposure insures earlier maturity and larger returns. The seed should be sown in February or March in a warm hotbed, or in boxes placed in a sunny window of a warm room. They require plenty of moisture and warmth to germinate. The young plants are pricked out into small pots as soon as they can be handled. In the vicinity of Philadelphia the first week of May is about right for setting the plants out.

## 821 BURPEE'S RUBY KING ☉



*Ruby King* grows from two and one-half to three feet high, with fruits from three to four inches in diameter at the shoulder. The flavor is exceptionally sweet and mild and the fruits may be eaten raw like an apple or a tomato. The meat or walls are quite thick, crisp, and tender.

Pkt. 15 cts.; oz. 80 cts.; ¼ lb. \$2.40; 1b. \$8.00, postpaid.

## 820 NEW SWEET-MEAT GLORY ☉

This is the *finest variety of the "Pimiento" type and the thickest fleshed of all peppers*. The solid meat is always *"sweet as an apple."* The fruits are rich crimson-scarlet in color, while the form is very distinct, being of regular conical shape, from two to two and one-fourth inches across at the stem end and average from three to three and one-half inches in length. The firm flesh measures five-sixteenths of an inch in thickness.

Pkt. 15 cts.; oz. 85 cts.; ¼ lb. \$2.50; 1b. \$8.50, postpaid.

## 826 NEW RUBY GIANT

The result of a cross between *Burpee's Ruby King* and *Burpee's Chinese Giant*, combining the vigor and size of *Chinese Giant* with the earliness and hardiness of *Ruby King*. Brilliant scarlet; flesh thick and sweet. Pkt. 15 cts.; oz. 85 cts.; ¼ lb. \$2.50; 1b. \$8.50, postpaid.

# PEPPERS—Continued

## 818 NEAPOLITAN LARGE-EARLY ○

**Decidedly the Earliest of all Large Mild Red Peppers, and the Most Productive of all Large Peppers!** From seed started February 15th and plants set out May 20th, the first Peppers were picked for market on *June 24th*. The fruits measure *four inches long* and *four and a half inches in circumference*.

The strong vigorous plants grow two feet high by eighteen inches across; they are completely laden with large handsome fruits and bear continuously until frost. Single plants carry from *thirty-five to fifty marketable fruits at one time!* The Peppers grow upright until they become so heavy that their own weight turns them down. The skin and flesh are bright-red, sweet, and "*mild as an apple*"; they carry well and keep in prime condition a long time. Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 60 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$1.80; lb. \$6.00, postpaid.

## 819 BURPEE'S CHINESE GIANT ○

**The Largest Mild Red Pepper. An Ideal Variety for the Home Garden.** The enormous size and magnificent appearance of the fruits make them sell most readily. The plants are vigorous in growth, of stocky habit, seldom more than two feet in height. They are

well branched and thickly set with enormous fruits. Frequently half a dozen

Peppers will touch each other as if on a single bunch. The strong growth

of the plants enables them to mature the gigantic fruits only slightly later than our *Ruby King*. CHINESE GIANT produces

uniformly monstrous peppers of thick, blocky form and most brilliant glossy scarlet. They grow four to five inches

broad at the top, and are of equal length, divided into four or more large ridges; when ripe, they are indented at the blossom end. The first fruits set in a cluster

of three to five at base of the plant. All are uniformly of most "*enormous*" size. Pkt. 15 cts.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 55 cts.; oz. \$1.00;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$3.00; lb. \$10.00, postpaid.

## 822 SWEET UPRIGHT

The plants are of sturdy, erect growth, with thick stalks. The fruits are borne stiffly erect, and form at each fork of the branches. The color

when ripe is rich, glowing-scarlet, both in the thin tender skin and in the thick sweet flesh. It is as early as the *Bull-Nose*, with heavier fruit, much

Burpee's Mammoth Chinese Giant Pepper  
*Hardly one-third natural size*

thicker flesh, and superior in flavor, being always mild!

Pkt. 10 cts.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 45 cts.; oz. 80 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$2.40; lb. \$8.00, postpaid.

Variety	Postpaid	Pkt.	Oz.	$\frac{1}{4}$ lb.	Lb.
823 Bull-Nose, or Improved Large Bell. . . . .	\$0 10	\$0 65	\$1 95	\$6 50	
825 Sweet Mountain. Nearly, if not quite, identical with <i>Bull-Nose</i> . . . . .	10	65	1 95	6 50	
827 Dwarf Early Red Squash. Thick-fleshed; mild flavor. . . . .	10	60	1 80	6 00	
830 Burpee's Ruby Pearl. White, turning scarlet. . . . .	10	50	1 50	5 00	
837 Long Red Cayenne. The <i>true</i> Cayenne; hot and pungent. . . . .	10	45	1 35	4 50	
839 True Red Chili. Small, bright-red peppers; very hot. . . . .	10	50	1 50	5 00	
843 Golden Queen ○ Largest sweet yellow pepper. . . . .	10	75	2 25	7 50	
849 Fancy Wrinkled, Mixed. <i>Scotch Bonnet</i> ; of three colors. . . . .	10	50	1 50	5 00	
851 Celestial. Creamy white to scarlet; ornamental and prolific. . . . .	10	40	1 20	4 00	
853 Bird's-Eye, or Creole. Extremely hot; smallest red. . . . .	10	50	1 50	5 00	
847 Red Cluster. Very productive and quite pungent. . . . .	10	60	1 80	6 00	

## 854 CORAL GEM BOUQUET ○

A very prolific variety, of dwarf, compact growth, ten inches in height, literally covered with small scarlet fruits. Fruits very hot and pungent. As it ripens a large number of fruits quite early in the season, it is the most desirable small-fruited variety to grow in the northern States. Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 65 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$1.95; lb. \$6.50, postpaid.

## 857 TABASCO

Of tall, bush-like growth, three to four feet in height, producing an immense number of small, slender, *very hot* and fiery fruits one inch in length and vivid scarlet in coloring. Usually fails to ripen fruits as far north as Pennsylvania.

Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 60 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$1.80; lb. \$6.00, postpaid.

# OKRA, or GUMBO

OKRA, or GUMBO, is used largely in the Southern States both as a separate dish and for soups, etc.; it is becoming better known and more popular in the North. The pods should be gathered and eaten while still young and tender, before the hard, woody fiber develops.

## 661 DWARF PROLIFIC

Dwarf, stocky growth, prolific and early.

Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 10 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 25 cts.; 1b. 80 cts., postpaid.

## 663 WHITE VELVET

Of tall growth, with long, smooth, round, velvety pods.

Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 10 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 30 cts.; 1b. \$1.00, postpaid.

## 665 LADY FINGER

Plants producing long, slender pods of pale green color.

Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 10 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 25 cts.; 1b. 80 cts., postpaid.

## 666 KLECKLEY'S FAVORITE ☉

The plants grow two and a half to three feet in height, close-jointed, with ample foliage, and bear *smooth white pods of the very finest quality at each leaf-joint.*

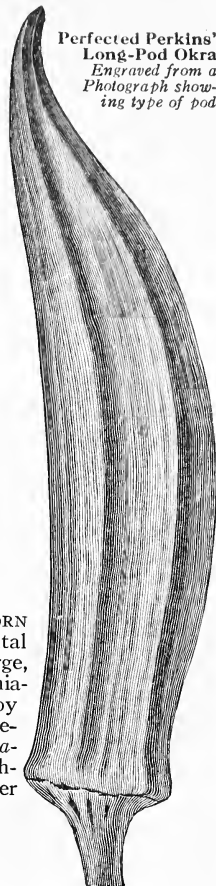
Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 15 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 40 cts.; 1b. \$1.20, postpaid.

## 667 PERFECTED PERKINS' LONG-POD ☉

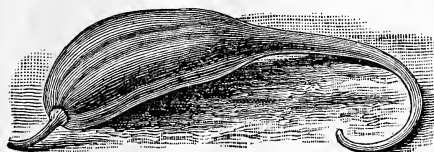
The pods are produced *in great abundance*, and when ready to use are from four to five inches in length.

Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 10 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 30 cts.; 1b. \$1.00, postpaid.

Perfected Perkins'  
Long-Pod Okra  
Engraved from a  
Photograph showing  
type of pod



# MARTYNIA, or UNICORN PLANT



A pod of Martynia

The MARTYNIA, or UNICORN PLANT, is quite ornamental in growth, and bears large, pyramidal spikes of gloxinia-like flowers, followed by hairy seed-pods of a peculiar shape—see *illustration*. These pods are gathered while young and tender and pickled.

## 541 PROBOSCIDEA

Tender pods for pickling. Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 40 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$1.20; 1b. \$4.00, postpaid.

# NASTURTIUM

The tender seed-pods for pickling should be gathered while green and with a portion of the stem attached. Pick them over and place in a jar until filled; then cover them with cider vinegar that has been brought to the boil and is still warm.

## 659 TALL MIXED

Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 10 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 25 cts.; 1b. 75 cts., postpaid.

# USEFUL GOURDS

The seed should be sown in rich soil when the trees are well out in leaf and at sufficient distance apart for the large varieties to have ample room in which to run, the vines frequently attaining twenty to thirty feet in length.



## 438 NEST-EGG

This is a small, white-fruited variety, the fruits resembling in color, form, and size the eggs of hens. When properly dried, these fruits are light and durable. As they do not crack and are uninjured by cold or wet, they make the best of nest-eggs. Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 25 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 70 cts.; 1b. \$2.25, postpaid.

## 440 SUGAR TROUGH

The shell, when dried, is thick and hard, extremely light, but very durable.

Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 35 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$1.00; 1b. \$3.50, postpaid.

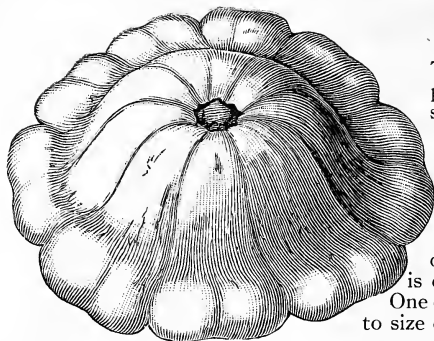
## 442 DIPPER

Well-known variety, curved stems. Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 25 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 75 cts., postpaid.

## 444 DISHCLOTH, OR LUFFA

The fruits should be allowed to hang on the vines until well ripened, when the skin can be removed and the fibrous or sponge-like interior be taken out, cleaned, and dried.

Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 25 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 70 cts.; 1b. \$2.25, postpaid.



**Mammoth White Bush Squash**

## SUMMER SQUASHES

There are two types of Squashes, namely, those planted for use in the young, tender state during the summer months, and those having larger, hard-shelled fruits which are grown and stored for baking, making pies, etc., during the winter and early spring months. There is also another type, like our **FORDHOOK SQUASH**, the fruits of which are excellent for use in the young state during the summer or which can be kept for baking and pies during the winter, and this general purpose type is one of the most desirable for the family garden. One ounce will plant twenty-five to fifty hills, according to size of seed.

### 1010 EARLY WHITE BUSH ☉

This is the white *Patty Pan* or *Cymling* of the South.

The plants are of true bush growth, producing fruit ready for use very early in the summer. **Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 15 cts.; 1/4 lb. 45 cts.; lb. \$1.50, postpaid.**

### 1012 MAMMOTH WHITE BUSH

This is of true bush growth, nearly as early as the *Early White Bush*, and produces large, thick fruits with scalloped edges, frequently twelve to fourteen inches in diameter.

**Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 15 cts.; 1/4 lb. 45 cts.; lb. \$1.50, postpaid.**

### 1014 EARLY YELLOW BUSH, Scalloped (Yellow Patty Pan)

This is similar in growth and fruit to *Early White Bush*, but has skin of a deep-orange.

**Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 15 cts.; 1/4 lb. 45 cts.; lb. \$1.50, postpaid.**

### 1018 GOLDEN SUMMER CROOKNECK ☉

Plants of true bush growth, very early fruiting and productive. The squashes are of the popular crookneck type, rich golden-yellow, thickly warted.

**Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 20 cts.; 1/4 lb. 60 cts.; lb. \$2.00, postpaid.**

### 1020 GIANT CROOKNECK

This strain is equally as early as the common small-fruited variety, while the squashes grow to a much larger size, measuring from eighteen inches to two feet in length.

**Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 20 cts.; 1/4 lb. 60 cts.; lb. \$2.00, postpaid.**

### 1030 COCOZELLE BUSH

Of compact bush growth, with dark-green foliage; the fruits are oblong, twelve inches or more in length, and four to five inches in diameter. Skin dark-green, with stripes of a still deeper shade.

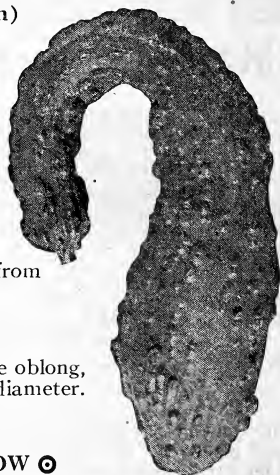
**Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 25 cts.; 1/4 lb. 75 cts.; lb. \$2.50, postpaid.**

### 1031 LONG WHITE MARROW, or VEGETABLE MARROW ☉

This is similar to the *Cocozelle*, but rather later in season and the fruits are much larger in size. Strong, running vines bearing fruits with creamy-white, smooth skin. **Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 25 cts.; 1/4 lb. 75 cts.; lb. \$2.50, postpaid.**

### 1032 BURPEE'S FORDHOOK SQUASH ☉

This is a most desirable running variety for both summer and winter use. The vines are of strong, vigorous growth and wonderfully productive. Fruits oblong in form, eight to ten inches in length, slightly ridged; smooth, thin, yellowish skin; flesh very thick and of a light straw-yellow. If gathered young for cooking, no other Squash, except the *Bush Fordhook*, approaches it in flavor, while if allowed to ripen on the vine, they can be stored and will keep in excellent condition until late the following June. **Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 25 cts.; 1/4 lb. 75 cts.; lb. \$2.50, postpaid.**

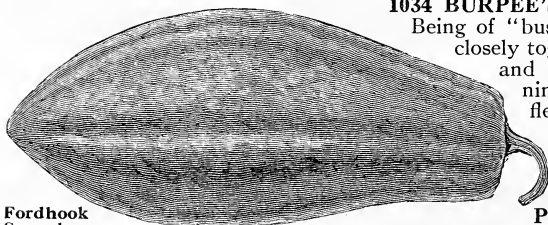


**Golden Summer Crookneck**

### 1034 BURPEE'S BUSH FORDHOOK SQUASH

Being of "bush-growth," the plants can be grown closely together. The fruits are shorter and thicker than those of the running type; they are also thicker fleshed and have a smaller seed cavity. Our **FORDHOOK SQUASH** is about a week later than the *Early White Bush*; it is much sweeter and better flavored.

**Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 20 cts.; 1/4 lb. 60 cts.; lb. \$2.00, postpaid.**



**Fordhook Squash**



# WINTER SQUASHES

## 1038 TRUE HUBBARD

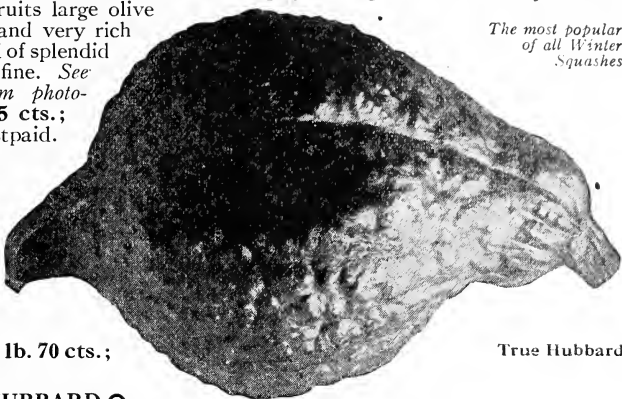
This is the well-known winter squash, now grown so largely throughout the country. Vines of strong running growth; fruits large olive shape, with dark-green skin and very rich flesh. An excellent keeper and of splendid quality. Our strain is extra fine. See illustration to the right—from photograph. Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 25 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 75 cts.; lb. \$2.50, postpaid.

*The most popular  
of all Winter  
Squashes*

## 1040 WARTED HUBBARD

This is similar in size and quality to the well-known Hubbard, but the dark, olive-green fruits are larger and more heavily warted. Very handsome in appearance; an excellent keeper and of splendid quality.

Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 25 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 70 cts.; lb. \$2.25, postpaid.



True Hubbard

## 1042 RED OR GOLDEN HUBBARD

The heavily warted skin is of a rich orange-yellow, turning to deep salmon-red when ripened. It is equally as productive and fine in quality as the original Hubbard.

Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 25 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 70 cts.; lb. \$2.25, postpaid.

## 1036 BOSTON MARROW

A large-fruited, hard-shelled sort for winter use, having bright-orange skin and deep-orange flesh. Vines of strong running growth, very productive; fruits thickish oval.

Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 20 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 60 cts.; lb. \$2.00, postpaid.

## 1048 PIE SQUASH, OR WINTER LUXURY PUMPKIN

This is of smooth, rounded form, with rather thin, tender skin. Fruits grow to good size and look very attractive. The flesh is very thick, sweet, fine-flavored, and excellent for pies.

Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 20 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 60 cts.; lb. \$2.00, postpaid.

## 1052 THE DELICIOUS

The squashes, weighing from five to ten pounds, vary in both color and form, but are uniformly delicious in flavor and splendid winter keepers. The dark-orange flesh is very thick and fine-grained. A variety much used for pies. *Crop failed.*

## 1054 DELICATA

A small-fruited variety suitable for both summer and winter use; oblong, slightly ribbed, with orange-yellow skin striped with green.

Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 20 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 60 cts.; lb. \$2.00, postpaid.

## 1056 MAMMOTH CHILI

A very large-fruited variety. Under special cultivation the fruits attain a great weight and are of attractive appearance. The skin is quite smooth, but with broad, open netting and of a rich orange-yellow. Flesh thick, of a rich yellow coloring; fine grained and sweet.

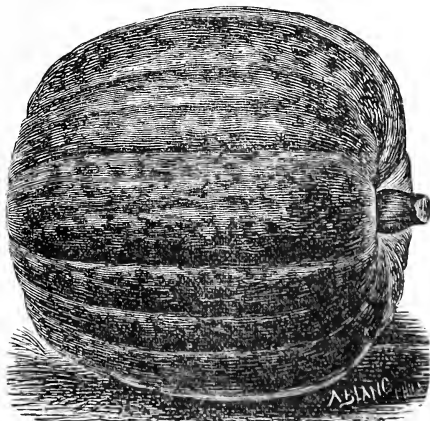
Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 15 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 45 cts.; lb. \$1.50, postpaid.

## 1058 MAMMOTH WHALE

This is the "Jumbo" of the Squash family. It is an extra-large-fruited sort. The squashes grow from two and a half to three feet in length, with a slight neck at the stem end. The skin is of a dark olive-green, with slight stripes of a lighter tinge. The fruits frequently attain more than one hundred pounds in weight. Flesh firm and solid, of beautiful orange-yellow and excellent quality.

Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 30 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 90 cts.; lb. \$3.00, postpaid.

Complete Cultural Directions on raising Squashes are given in our free leaflet, "How to Grow Cucumbers, Squashes, and Pumpkins." Ask for it on your order.



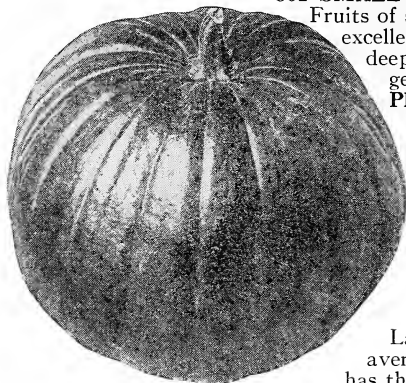
Mammoth Chili



# PUMPKINS

Pumpkins can be grown easily among a crop of sweet or field corn or wherever there is ample room for the vines to spread. In the small garden they can be grown by planting the seed near a paling-fence or some low building over which the vines can run without interfering with other crops in the garden. In field culture it is best to make the hills ten feet or more apart each way, so that the vines may have ample room in which to spread. Wherever fruits are desired for exhibition purposes a large hole should be made with a liberal quantity of well-rotted manure, and only one or two fruits should be allowed to set on each vine. Three or more seeds can be planted to a hill, but when the plants are well started they should be thinned out, leaving only the best plant standing in the hill. The fruits should be gathered and carefully stored in a warm, dry place before they are touched by frost. According to size of seed one ounce will plant twenty-five to fifty hills.

## 861 SMALL SUGAR ☉



Small Sugar Pumpkin

Fruits of small size, averaging about ten inches in diameter, of excellent keeping qualities, flattened or slightly ribbed. Skin deep orange-yellow, flesh **very sweet**. This should be more generally known, as it is really one of the best for pies. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 15 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 40 cts.; lb. \$1.25.

## 863 BIG TOM, or IMPROVED LARGE FIELD ☉

Vines of strong, vigorous growth and wonderfully prolific. Fruits will average fifteen to twenty inches in diameter; round or slightly oval in form. Smooth, hard, reddish-orange skin, slightly ribbed, with rich, orange-yellow flesh.

Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 15 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 45 cts.; lb. \$1.50, postpaid.

## 865 LARGE CHEESE

Large, round, flattened fruits, with creamy-buff skin; average two feet in diameter. An excellent keeper; it has thick flesh of extra-fine quality.

Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 15 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 40 cts.; lb. \$1.25, postpaid.

## 867 BURPEE'S GOLDEN OBLONG ☉

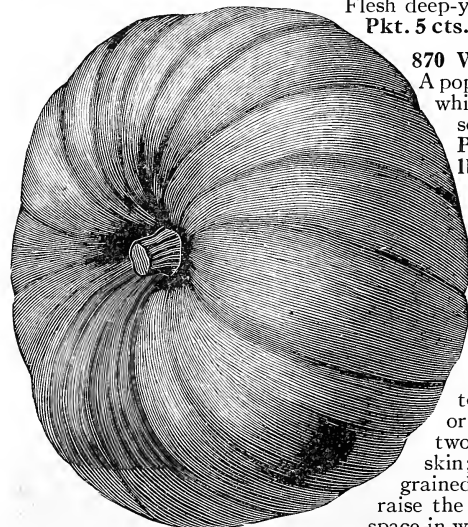
Very hardy and productive; pumpkins fifteen to twenty inches in length and eight to ten inches in diameter. Skin of a rich golden-orange, thin but tough, making it almost as good a keeper for winter as the hard-shell squashes. Flesh is light golden-yellow, of very rich, fine quality. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 15 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 40 cts.; lb. \$1.25, postpaid.



## 869 JAPANESE

Similar in size and form to the well-known *Cushaw*, but the skin is a deep-green, with dark stripes, turning to a rich golden-yellow. Fruits mature early; the large neck is solidly meaty. Flesh deep-yellow, of fine quality.

Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 20 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 55 cts.; lb. \$1.75, postpaid.



Genuine Mammoth Pumpkin

## 870 WHITE CUSHAW, or JONATHAN

A popular crook-necked variety, with a hard, creamy-white shell. Fruits two feet in length with long, solidly meaty neck. Thick flesh of fine quality.

Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 25 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 70 cts.; lb. \$2.25, postpaid.

## 872 STRIPED CUSHAW

Skin striped with mottled-green bands of creamy white. Rich-yellow meat, tender and of fine flavor. Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 25 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 70 cts.; lb. \$2.25, postpaid.

## 875 GENUINE MAMMOTH ☉

"Jumbo," or "King of the Mammoths."

This is the very best genuine strain of the true Mammoth Pumpkin. Fruits grow to enormous size, sometimes reaching two feet or more in diameter, and from one hundred to two hundred pounds in weight. Salmon-orange skin; very thick, bright-yellow flesh, which is fine grained, tender, and of excellent quality for pies. To raise the largest fruits, vines should be allowed ample space in which to grow—only one plant should be allowed to grow in a hill and only the best fruit left on the vine.

Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 25 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 75 cts.; lb. \$2.50, postpaid.

# CUCUMBERS

Our seed is grown from selected stocks, and can be relied upon to produce smooth and uniform fruits. Cucumbers should be grown in every garden, to furnish both large fruits for slicing on the table and small young fruits for pickling. In most sections it will be best to make two sowings: one as early in the spring as the weather permits, to supply fruits for the table during the summer months, and a second, about the last of June or first of July, to furnish fruits for fall use. This late sowing will give also the best supply of young fruits for pickling purposes; the cool fall months are the best time to put them down for winter use. The small-fruited extra-early varieties are especially adapted for a cool northern location, or to produce the small pickles commonly (but wrongly!) known as *Gherkins*. These smaller fruited extra-early varieties are not so satisfactory for the table in warmer localities, as the fruits quickly become old and develop a large number of seeds. One ounce is sufficient for one hundred hills.

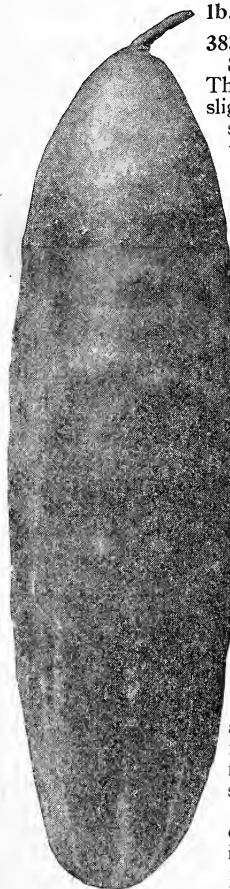
## 393 BURPEE'S FORDHOOK FAMOUS CUCUMBER Ⓞ

The largest, most handsome garden Cucumber—the most fleshy and finest in flavor of the White Spine type. The vines are of



strong, vigorous growth, with healthy foliage, and set the extra-long fruits freely throughout the season. The Cucumbers are uniformly smooth and regular in form, averaging twelve to fourteen inches in length; the skin is thin and tender, bright green in color, and never turns yellow, even in fully matured fruits. The flesh is very thick, crisp, and exceptionally mild in flavor.

Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 25 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 75 cts.; lb. \$2.50, postpaid.



Davis' Perfect  
From a Photograph

## 383 BURPEE'S FORDHOOK WHITE SPINE Ⓞ

The fruits are nearly cylindric in form, slightly pointed at the ends, perfectly smooth, of deep, rich coloring, marked with distinct white lines at the blossom end. They are of extremely handsome and attractive appearance. Vines are vigorous in growth and enormously productive. *Fruits retain their dark-green coloring and crisp freshness longer after picking than any other variety, excepting only the new "Fordhook Famous."* They retain also their fine quality even after the seeds are well formed. Splendid as table Cucumbers and for market.



Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 20 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 60 cts.; lb. \$2.00, postpaid.

## 379 BURPEE'S EXTRA-EARLY WHITE SPINE Ⓞ

This is a special strain of the popular *White Spine Cucumber*, which is most desirable for its extreme earliness. It is earlier than our *Fordhook* and the *Boston* forcing strains. The fruits are slightly smaller in size, but of smooth, regular form, well colored, and of excellent flavor. Most valuable to plant for early market.

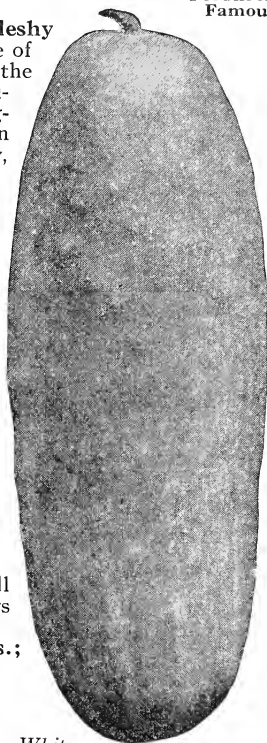
Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 20 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 60 cts.; lb. \$2.00, postpaid.

## 400 DAVIS' PERFECT Ⓞ

(Illustration at left.) This is a successful cross between an English and an American variety, combining great vigor and prolificacy with the fine texture and superior flavor of the American Dark Spine type. The fruits are from seven to nine inches long with a circumference of about seven inches in the middle. They are slightly tapering on the ends, with an intensely dark, rich-green skin. The flesh is solid, of superb quality for slicing, thick, with small seed cavity and but few seeds. It is an all-around variety, equally as good in the home garden as for the market gardener. So handsome and regular are the fruits that they bring an extra price on the market, often being mistaken for "hot-house grown." The vines are of strong growth and quite prolific.

Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 25 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 75 cts.; lb. \$2.50, postpaid.

Fordhook  
Famous



# CUCUMBERS—Continued

## 401 EARLY FORTUNE

EARLY FORTUNE is of recent introduction and considered the finest market cucumber of the White Spine type. The fruits measure nine inches long and are slightly tapering. The thick flesh is pure white, firm, and unusually crisp, with very few seeds. The fruits are of a rich, dark-green color, which does not fade when shipped to distant markets.  
Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 25 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 75 cts.; lb. \$2.50, postpaid.

## 405 BURPEE'S GIANT PERA

The fruits grow to extra-large size, with smooth, light-green skin. The skin is thin, while the flesh is unusually thick, the fruits producing but very few seeds. They are crisp, brittle, and of extremely mild flavor. Under good cultivation they frequently grow fifteen to twenty inches in length.

Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 25 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 75 cts.; lb. \$2.50, postpaid.

## 381 ARLINGTON WHITE SPINE

The cucumbers are very regular in outline, uniform in size, averaging seven to eight inches in length, straight, and of a rich, dark-green color. Flesh white, crisp, and solid, with comparatively few seeds. Vines of vigorous growth and very productive.

Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 20 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 55 cts.; lb. \$1.75, postpaid.

## 385 EXTRA-LONG WHITE SPINE, OR EVERGREEN

Smooth, round, handsomely colored fruits, eight to ten inches long, and very regular in size and form; of excellent quality.

Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 15 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 45 cts.; lb. \$1.50, postpaid.

## 399 LONDON LONG GREEN

The young cucumbers make one of our best pickles. Under favorable conditions produces dark-green fruits from ten to twelve inches in length. Skin a deep rich green; flesh solid, crisp, and of excellent quality. Our strain is particularly fine—far superior to regular stocks. Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 20 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 60 cts.; lb. \$2.00, postpaid.

## 406 JAPANESE CLIMBING

The strong vines, throwing out numerous tendrils, can be trained upon a trellis or on poles, which will insure earlier ripening and a straight, handsome form in the large

fruits. The cucumbers are from twelve to sixteen inches in length. Skin smooth, dark green, turning to brown, and netted when ripe. The flesh is pure white, crisp, and of mild flavor.

Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 15 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 45 cts.; lb. \$1.50, postpaid.

## 409 WEST INDIA GHERKIN

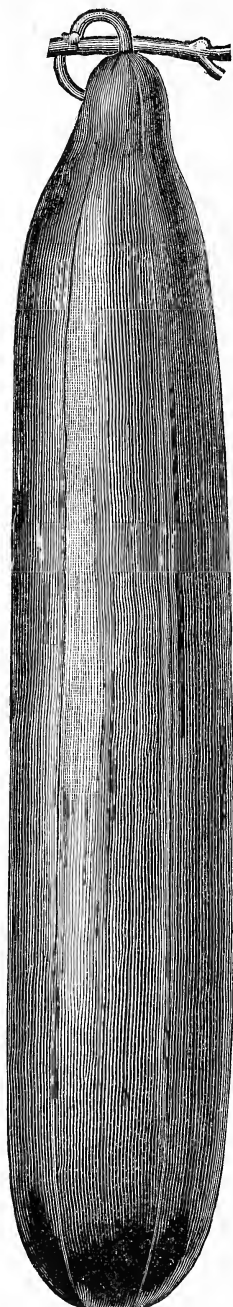
A very prolific, small-fruited variety, used exclusively for pickling. The fruits are two to three inches in length, thick and rounded, closely covered with spines. Vines rather slender, with small leaves, but of strong growth.

Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 20 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 55 cts.; lb. \$1.75, postpaid.

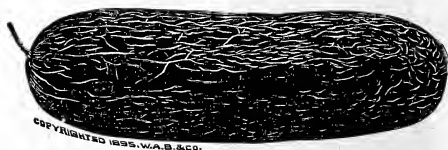
Mrs. Asher G. Glenn, Garmans, Penna., writes: "From the Cucumber seed we got of you last year we raised one that was 19 inches long, 15 inches around, weighed four pounds. It was Fordhook Famous Cucumber. They were fine."

Lewis Ewen, R. R. No. 1, Box 85, Hammond, Indiana, writes: "I planted twenty thousand boxes, 4 by 4 inches square, to Cucumbers in our greenhouses and not one failed to grow. It was the best lot of seed I ever had."

Mr. Frank W. Jones, Milwaukee, Wisconsin, writes: "Under separate cover I am sending what I would call a Davis' Perfect Cucumber picked by me from the vines in my garden last Saturday. These vines are full of fruit, maturing daily, and about three weeks ahead of any in this locality—I mean out-of-doors, grown by amateurs. I use only Burpee Seeds and plant and care for them personally. My garden product is for my own use and my attention to the same is for recreation, which I enjoy. My results only go to show what can be done by any one with some care and study of the garden, perfect seeds being the most important feature."



Burpee's Giant Pera



Japanese Climbing Cucumber

# Cucumbers For Pickling

## 395 BURPEE'S FORDHOOK PICKLING ☉



This is one of the best and most prolific for producing pickles of medium size, both for home use and market. The vines are extremely vigorous and healthy, yielding a large number of fruits if kept gathered at the proper stage. Skin extremely thin, tender, and free from toughness when pickled. Fruits are of excellent table quality. Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 25 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 75 cts.; lb. \$2.50, postpaid.

## 375 EVER BEAR - ING ☉

See illustration to right.

This is a very early and extremely prolific variety. If the fruits are kept gathered, vines will continue in bearing throughout the season. The fruits, of a rich dark-green color, average from four to five inches in length by an inch and a half in diameter. It is an excellent variety to grow for small pickles. Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 20 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 55 cts.; lb. \$1.75, postpaid.



A Single Plant of Everbearing Cucumber

## 369 EARLY RUSSIAN

This is the earliest. Fruits are small, being about three inches in length and one and a half inches in diameter. Plants productive and fruits of excellent quality. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 15 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 40 cts.; lb. \$1.25, postpaid.

## 371 EARLY GREEN CLUSTER

The fruits are of slender form and most desirable for pickling. They are very prolific and frequently set in clusters of two and three. If the fruits are kept gathered, the vines will continue long in bearing. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 15 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 45 cts.; lb. \$1.40, postpaid.

## 377 EXTRA-EARLY GREEN PROLIFIC OR BOSTON PICKLING ☉

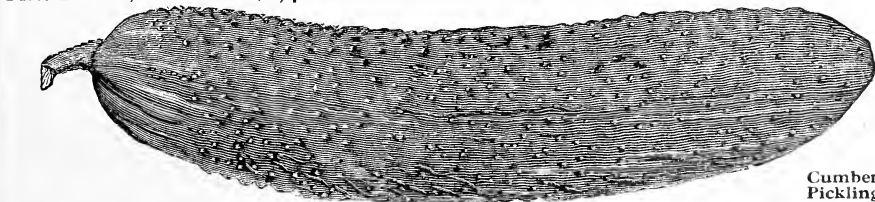
This is a very prolific variety, largely grown for pickles. The fruits average four to five inches in length when large enough for slicing, and are of excellent quality; but it is chiefly for producing medium-sized pickles that this variety is so highly esteemed. If the fruits are gathered as soon as large enough, the vines will continue bearing through a long season.

Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 15 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 45 cts.; lb. \$1.50, postpaid.

## 397 CUMBERLAND PICKLING

The vines are hardy and bear very freely. The young cucumbers are thickly set with small spines, and possess the distinctly roughened surface so much desired for small pickles. The large fruits average nine to ten inches in length by two and a half inches in diameter, with full rounded ends, and are of good quality for slicing.

Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 20 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 55 cts.; lb. \$1.75, postpaid.



Cumberland Pickling

## 413 ENGLISH FRAME CUCUMBER

The English forcing cucumbers are seldom grown out-of-doors, but possess special merit for forcing in the greenhouse. The plants grow thrifty and are exceedingly prolific. The fruits of this special strain of "Rollison's Telegraph" measure from eighteen to twenty-four inches in length and individual specimens have been grown which weighed over ten pounds. The long green cylindric fruits contain only very few seeds. ENGLISH FRAME can be highly recommended to all who wish to grow cucumbers in the greenhouse. Seed very costly and sold only in small packets. Pkt. 25 cts.; 5 pkts. for \$1.00, postpaid.

# BURPEE'S FIELD AND FARM SEEDS

The farmer of to-day is fully aware that it pays him in dollars and cents to use seeds of known quality only. He knows that good seed is the first requirement for a crop. Cheap seeds waste time, labor, and fertilizer that have been used in preparation for the crop, and no after-care in cultivation can bring profitable returns. All our farm seeds are grown under the same care as our vegetable and flower seeds. They have to undergo complete germination tests, and are tested for purity and quality under average field conditions. Complete tests, including all our varieties and many samples from various other sources, enable us to keep in the lead and to offer to our customers seeds of known quality. Besides the seeds listed below and on the following page, various root crops are considered farm seeds. *Mangel Wurzel* and *Sugar Beets* are listed on page 18; *Carrots for Stock Feeding* on page 24; *Turnips* and *Ruta Bagas* on pages 32 to 34. The standard of Burpee's Farm Seed has exceeded any State requirements. You are safe in buying your farm seeds from us because they are the best that can be grown.

## SPRING WHEAT

### 6087 MARQUIS

A most productive variety of Spring Wheat introduced into the United States in 1913. Tests made by the United States Department of Agriculture proved it to be a better yielder than *Bluestem* and *Fife*.

MARQUIS WHEAT is beardless, with two or three short awns on the top, as usually found on beardless wheats. A good spring variety, growing 36 to 48 inches, according to season. The heads are short but very thick and plump, carried on stiff and strong straw. The kernels are very broad and thick, ripening in 98 to 120 days. It is therefore one of the earliest varieties, so much wanted, since they escape summer droughts and fall rains. **Lb. 25 cts.**, postpaid. By express or freight, at purchaser's expense: 10 lbs. or more, at **9 cts. per lb.**

## OATS

In the United States the oats region consists of six adjacent States, namely, Illinois, Iowa, Wisconsin, Minnesota, Nebraska, and Indiana. These six States produce over one-half of the total oat crop in the United States. Other States producing good oats include the New England States, Pennsylvania, New York, and Ohio.

Oats appear to reach their highest development in quality and yield somewhat north of the Corn Belt, yet they are extensively raised in the Corn Belt as a crop to rotate with corn. Oats are not so valuable as winter wheat, but are more convenient as a crop to follow corn, and the grain and straw are both much needed.

All the oats north of the Cotton Belt are spring sown. The fall-sown varieties of the more southern regions are mostly not strictly winter types, as the same varieties are sown as spring oats farther north. The legal weight of a measured bushel of oats in the United States is 32 pounds. The actual weight varies from 25 to 35 pounds per bushel.

### 6060 WHITE TARTAR KING

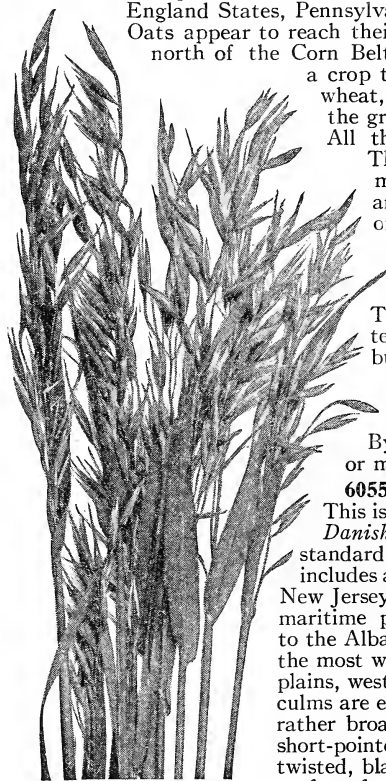
This fine and very productive variety has been thoroughly tested in different sections and has yielded as high as 40 bushels an acre. It makes a good growth, with stiff, heavy straw three feet in height, with heavy setting of plump white grains, borne in close, compact, branching heads, uniformly free from smut. **Lb. 25 cts.**, postpaid.

By express or freight, at purchaser's expense: 10 lbs. or more, at **8 cts. per lb.**

### 6055 SWEDISH SELECT

This is similar to, but a better variety for general use than, the *Danish Island*, which we listed in previous years. It is a standard variety for the northeastern oat district, which roughly includes all of New England, New York, Pennsylvania, northern New Jersey, West Virginia, northern Ohio, Michigan, the eastern maritime provinces of Canada, Quebec, and Ontario, westward to the Albany River and the ninetieth meridian. It is also one of the most widely grown varieties on the northern plains, middle plains, western mountain, and north Pacific oat districts. The culms are erect, medium large, and stiff. The panicles are medium, rather broad, stiff, and erect. Grains practically white, plump, short-pointed. The awns are very numerous in the panicle, strongly twisted, black at the base. A very good yielder, growing three to four feet high with stiff straw. **Lb. 25 cts.**, postpaid. By

express or freight, at purchaser's expense: 10 lbs. or more, at **8 cts. per lb.**

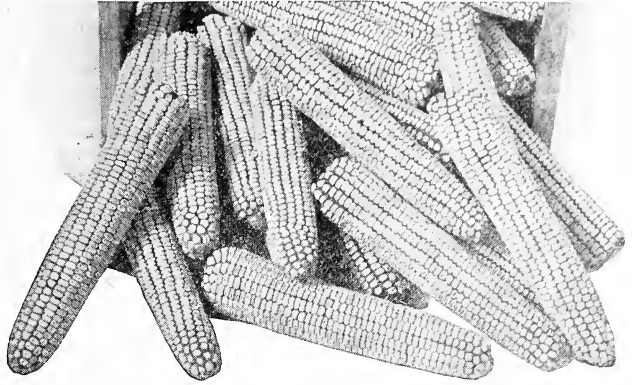




# Burpee's Thoroughbred Field Corn

These varieties have all been grown especially for seed. The seed has been well cured and is **true to name and type**.

As all farmers know, Corn has for years stood with Wheat as one of the most profitable of all farm crops. Much has been written and said regarding the care and breeding of stocks and the improving of standard varieties, but yet there are planters who are somewhat loath to displace varieties that have been in their families for years and for this reason they are satisfied with yields smaller than could be obtained by the planting of improved stocks of old varieties or new sorts which have on trial proved bountiful yielders.



## 6020 CANADA YELLOW FLINT

The flint corns are the hardest and earliest in maturity and can be grown satisfactorily much farther north than the dent corns. Our strain is of an improved type, producing long, well-filled ears with eight rows of quite large grains. It is much more productive than the ordinary strains of flint corn, while retaining, to the fullest extent, the early ripening and hardy qualities.

## 6022 CHESTER COUNTY MAMMOTH

The ears are of extra-large size, containing from fourteen to thirty-two rows of medium size, deep-yellow grains, which are rich and nutritious, making excellent meal when ground. It is one of the best yellow varieties for good land in this latitude and the South, but cannot be relied upon to mature sufficiently early for farther north than Pennsylvania.

## 6023 CLOUD'S YELLOW DENT

In the East this is one of the most popular varieties of Yellow Dent Corn. We have been very fortunate in securing some from one of the best growers in the east, a man who has done a great deal of hybridizing and who has developed a particularly valuable strain, a very fine lot of this splendid 120 day corn. In sections where the season will permit, Cloud's Yellow Dent is one of the heaviest yielders, and by reason of the type of growth is adaptable alike for silage or feeding corn.

## 6026 BURPEE'S GOLDEN BEAUTY

This most popular variety produces the largest yellow grains of any field corn now known. The ears are perfect in form and grow to remarkable size, well filled to the extreme tip with ten to fourteen regular rows of bright golden grains. The cobs are unusually small for so large an ear, while the grains are of such a size that when the ear is broken in half they will equal in length the diameter of the cob. At FORDHOOK FARMS it requires a season of 110 to 120 days to mature a crop, but the ears ripen well.



The plants make a vigorous and healthy growth producing a large quantity of foliage. By reason of an unusually strong root system the plants are solidly anchored in the soil and will endure considerably heavier rain and wind storms than any other variety we know. This quality of resistance against storms is increased by the flexibility of the stalk.

## 6028 HICKORY KING

This has the *largest grains* with the *smallest cob* of any white corn. Of strong growth, the stalks take a firm hold in the ground and stand upright. It yields splendid crops on light soil, and is the most productive white field corn for the South. We do not, however, consider it a safe crop to be grown north of Pennsylvania.

## 6029 JOHNSON COUNTY WHITE

A large-eared variety of corn having been used extensively for ensilage. Throughout the eastern part of the South and the entire Central West, Johnson County White has been found to be an excellent feeding corn. We can especially recommend the stock that we offer, as it has been carefully grown by one of the most extensive growers in the East.

## 6032 IMPROVED LEAMING

On good land the stalks grow tall, producing two good ears to each stalk. The ears are long, with small red cob well filled with grains of medium size of a rich golden color. It ripens in from 100 to 110 days and generally makes a good crop, even in dry season. Stalks are leafy, making excellent fodder.

## 6034 MASTODON DENT

This is a large-eared main crop dent corn. It grows strong, rank, quick, and makes the finest appearing shelled corn of them all, being purely dent, of two shades of white and yellow.

## 6042 WHITE CAP DENT

This combines earliness and hardness with large size. The stalks are stout, growing six to seven feet in height, with abundant foliage. Ears of handsome appearance, eight to ten inches in length, well filled, having sixteen to eighteen rows of deep grains. The cob is small, grains being very deep and quite wide. The outer end of the grain is white, deeply dented, while the inner portion is amber-yellow.



## 6039 EUREKA ENSILAGE

This variety is a careful selection from the old *Southern Prolific Corn*, and originated in Virginia. After many years of careful work the variety has been selected toward increased foliage as well as larger ears. Plants quite often have three to eight ears on a stalk. The ears are large, closely set with pure white, medium hard seeds. An excellent ensilage variety.

Any of the above varieties: **Lb. 25 cts.**, postpaid. By express or freight, 10 lbs. or more, at **8 cts. per lb.**; 100 lbs. or more, at **7½ cts. per lb.**

## 6025 LUCE'S FAVORITE

LUCE'S FAVORITE is a hybrid between the *Yellow Flint* and *Early Golden Dent*. It is in all respects like a flint variety with a slight dent. The ears are large and produced two at a plant. The plants are strong and vigorous, producing a large quantity of foliage which makes the variety especially valuable for ensilage. It is also a valuable shelled corn, maturing in one hundred days. **Lb. 25 cts.**, postpaid. By express or freight, 10 lbs. or more, at **10 cts. per lb.**

## 6045 SUGAR CORN FOR GREEN FODDER

We offer seed of Sugar Corn which is especially grown for fodder purposes, being of quick growth and early maturity. Sown at the rate of 80 to 100 lbs. per acre in drills four feet apart, it makes splendid stalks six to eight feet in height, which are of the finest quality for feeding green, cutting for ensilage, or curing for fodder. **Lb. 25 cts.**, postpaid. By express or freight, at purchaser's expense: 10 lbs. or more, at **7 cts. per lb.**



# Burpee-Quality Grass Seeds

Nothing is more important to the farmer than that the grass seed he sows should be pure and clean. The seed should also be plump, heavy, and well ripened, so as to insure a good stand. First-class, thoroughly re-cleaned seed, while considerably more costly in the first place, is really much cheaper in the end than the light, chaffy grades generally sold at much lower prices, even should the latter be free from weed seeds. Heavy, plump seed, germinating better, will produce a much greater number of strong plants. Where large quantities are desired or SPECIAL MIXTURES are wanted for different soils, we will be pleased to advise as to the proper varieties and prices.

Prices on grass seed fluctuate. Write for prices on large quantities!

## 6131 ORCHARD GRASS (*Dactylis glomerata*)

This is one of the most desirable pasture grasses for stock and also for producing large crops of hay. It succeeds well in quite shady places, hence the name of Orchard Grass. 40 lbs. to the acre. Lb. 55 cts.; 5 lbs. \$2.45, postpaid. By express, 10 lbs. or more, at 37 cts. per lb.



Orchard Grass

## 6139 TIMOTHY

(*Phleum pratense*)

Of the easiest cultivation, and with us is usually sown in connection with winter grain in the fall, to which a seeding of clover is added early in the spring. 20 to 30 lbs. to the acre. Lb. 35 cts.; 5 lbs. \$1.55, postpaid. By express, 10 lbs. or more, at 20 cts. per lb.

## 6133 RED TOP GRASS

(*Agrostis vulgaris*)

It is a most valuable addition to sow with timothy and clover to form a close sward for pasturage.

Lb. 40 cts.; 5 lbs. \$1.85, postpaid. By express, 10 lbs. or more, at 25 cts. per lb.

## 6127 KENTUCKY BLUE GRASS

As is well known, this is the grass for which the State of Kentucky is famous, and frequently in some sections of the country it is used in making lawns, although it is preëminently a pasture grass. When Kentucky Blue Grass is used for lawn purposes, the seed is generally sown at the rate of thirty to forty pounds to the acre, and if White Dutch Clover is desired, seed should be added at the rate of about one-half pound to one bushel of grass seed.

Lb. 55 cts.; 5 lbs. \$2.45, postpaid. By express, 10 lbs. or more, at 37 cts. per lb.

## 6119 ENGLISH RYE GRASS (*Lolium perenne*)

This makes a quick growth very early in spring, and is adapted for cool, moist locations; recommended for fall seeding on Bermuda-grass lawns in the

South, giving them a bright green appearance all winter. 75 lbs. to the acre. Lb. 40 cts.; 5 lbs. \$1.70, postpaid. By express, 10 lbs. or more, at 22 cts. per lb.

## 6125 ITALIAN RYE GRASS

(*Lolium Italicum*)

This is distinct from the preceding, being of much larger and stronger growth, with large, broad, glossy-green blades; being an annual variety, it lasts only a year. It succeeds best in moist, fertile soils. 60 lbs. to the acre.

Lb. 35 cts.; 5 lbs. \$1.60, postpaid. By express, 10 lbs. or more, at 21 cts. per lb.

## 6117 CRESTED DOGS-TAIL (*Cynosurus cristatus*)

A valuable addition for lawn grasses which require close cutting and an ability to resist tramping, as in golf links, etc. 50 lbs. to the acre.

Lb. 50 cts.; 5 lbs. \$2.30, postpaid. By express, 10 lbs. or more, at 34 cts. per lb.



Timothy

## 6121 HARD FESCUE (*Festuca duriuscula*)

An excellent pasturage or lawn grass, succeeding well in dry or shady locations. 50 lbs. to the acre.

Lb. 50 cts.; 5 lbs. \$2.25, postpaid. By express, 10 lbs. or more, at 32 cts. per lb.

## 6129 MEADOW FESCUE (*Festuca pratensis*)

A fine pasture grass. 45 lbs. to the acre.

Lb. 60 cts.; 5 lbs. \$2.85, postpaid. By express, 10 lbs. or more, at 44 cts. per lb.

## 6134 RED FESCUE (*Festuca rubra*)

This variety differs from Sheep's Fescue in having less closely tufted culms; the base is somewhat decumbent or creeping. A good lawn grass adapted to the northern states and Canada, especially on sandy soil near the seacoast. A long-lived perennial and valuable as a pasture plant on moist, sandy soils. 50 lbs. per acre. New Zealand grown seed.

Lb. 65 cts.; 5 lbs. \$3.00, postpaid. By express, 10 lbs. or more, at 47 cts. per lb.

## 6137 SHEEP'S FESCUE (*Festuca ovina*)

Slender blades growing in close, compact clumps and from six to ten inches in height. 45 lbs. to the acre.

Lb. 50 cts.; 5 lbs. \$2.25, postpaid. By express, 10 lbs. or more, at 32 cts. per lb.

## 6141 WOOD MEADOW (*Poa nemoralis*)

An excellent pasture or lawn grass, desirable for planting under trees on the lawn. 40 lbs. to the acre.

Write for prices.

## 6114 BERMUDA GRASS (*Cynodon dactylon*)

Bermuda Grass is adapted to hot and dry locations in the South, making good lawns and pasturage on the sandy soils of the Gulf States. Does not do well in shaded places nor will it winter in the North. Sow 5 to 7 pounds per acre.

Lb. 70 cts.; 5 lbs. \$3.40, postpaid. By express, 10 lbs. or more, at 55 cts. per lb.

## 6138 SUDAN GRASS

After four years' experimenting at FORDHOOK FARMS we find that SUDAN GRASS in this section of Pennsylvania could easily take the place of the millets or any other annual producing hay.

The seed is sown during the early part of May, and the crop should be ready for the first cutting in July, or, if preferred, the second crop may be pastured. Yields as high as five tons per acre. For broadcast sowings use 18 to 25 lbs. per acre. Sown in rows 2 feet apart, plant 4 to 6 lbs. per acre.

Lb. 40 cts.; 5 lbs. \$1.90, postpaid. By express, 10 lbs. or more, at 26 cts. per lb.

## Grass Mixtures

### 6143 PERMANENT PASTURE

A special mixture of the best grasses and clovers for establishing a permanent pasture. 40 lbs. per acre.

Lb. 55 cts.; 5 lbs. \$2.45, postpaid. By express, 10 lbs. or more, at 35 cts. per lb.

### 6148 MEADOW OR HAY FIELD

A special mixture of grasses and clovers in suitable proportions for the average soil to produce a large crop of hay and aftermath for pasture. 35 lbs. per acre.

Lb. 55 cts.; 5 lbs. \$2.45, postpaid. By express, 10 lbs. or more, at 35 cts. per lb.

### 6150 SPECIAL LOWLAND MEADOW

A mixture of grasses and clovers adapted to moist or slightly sour lands, for cutting or pasturing. 35 lbs. per acre.

Lb. 55 cts.; 5 lbs. \$2.45, postpaid. By express, 10 lbs. or more, at 35 cts. per lb.

For Lawn Grass Mixtures, see pages 2 and 3

# CLOVERS

Prices for clover seed fluctuate  
Write for prices on large quantities

## 6100 ALFALFA, OR LUCERNE (*Medicago sativa*)

It strongly resembles clover in habit of growth and feeding value, but withstands drought much better. It is a perennial plant on well-drained soils, so that when once established, it will continue to produce large crops for twenty years when properly cared for, and on some of the rich western prairies yields four or five large cuttings in a single season. If permanency is desired, it must be cut every time it comes into bloom, and not allowed to produce seed. The plant is quite hardy, but will not succeed on low, wet soils. Sow from 15 to 25 lbs. per acre.

**Lb. 50 cts.; 5 lbs. \$2.25, postpaid.** By express or freight, at purchaser's expense; 10 lbs. or more, at **35 cts. per lb.**

## 6101 ALSIKE, OR HYBRID CLOVER (*Trifolium hybridum*)

The plant is perennial and very hardy, thriving equally well on wet or dry soils. Sow at rate of 10 to 20 lbs. to the acre. **Lb. 70 cts.; 5 lbs. \$3.25, postpaid.** By express or freight, 10 lbs. or more, at **55 cts. per lb.**

## 6103 SWEET CLOVER (*Melilotus alba*)

Biennial. Also known as *Bokhara clover*. Plants grow four feet during the first season and six to twelve feet in the second year. Will do on any kind of soil, including the very poorest. Used for pasturage, hay, green manure, soiling and ensilage. **Lb. 50 cts.; 5 lbs. \$2.25, postpaid.** By express or freight, 10 lbs. or more, at **35 cts. per lb.**

## 6105 CRIMSON OR ITALIAN CLOVER (*Trifolium incarnatum*)

An annual variety providing large crops of green forage, or if cut while in bloom, will make excellent hay. It is for use as a green manure and cover crop that this plant is most highly esteemed. Seed should be sown early in August or September. Sow at rate of 15 lbs. to the acre. **Lb. 45 cts.; 5 lbs. \$2.00, postpaid.** By express or freight, 10 lbs. or more, at **30 cts. per lb.**

## 6107 MAMMOTH OR PEA-VINE (*Trifolium pratense perenne*)

This grows much taller than *Red Medium*, with larger, leafier stalks.

**Lb. 70 cts.; 5 lbs. \$3.25, postpaid.** By express or freight, 10 lbs. or more, at **55 cts. per lb.**

## 6109 RED MEDIUM (*Trifolium pratense*)

This is the common Red Clover so largely grown. **Lb. 70 cts.; 5 lbs. \$3.25, postpaid.** By express or freight, 10 lbs. or more, at **55 cts. per lb.**

## 6113 WHITE DUTCH CLOVER

(*Trifolium repens*)

This thrives in almost every soil and climate, succeeding equally well on heavy moist land and thin dry hillsides. A very useful pasture plant. **Lb. 75 cts.; 5 lbs. \$3.50, postpaid.** By express or freight, 10 lbs. or more, at **60 cts. per lb.**

# VETCH

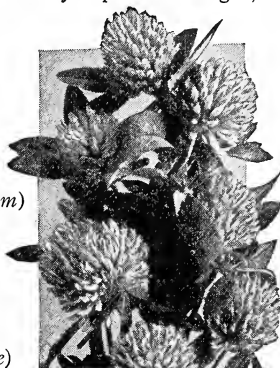
## 6079 VICIA SATIVA—SPRING VETCH

One of the most valuable of our field crops for use as a green manure. Frequently sown with oats, or alone at the rate of sixty to one hundred pounds to the acre broadcast. **Lb. 40 cts., postpaid.** By express or freight, at purchaser's expense: 10 lbs. or more, at **25 cts. per lb.**

## 6080 VICIA VILLOSA—HAIRY, SAND, OR WINTER VETCH

A hardy, pea-like plant which grows strongly during the late fall and early spring months, remaining green all winter. It is more satisfactory for the North than *Crimson Clover*, as it may be sown later and will make a larger crop of green foliage earlier in the spring. **Lb. 50 cts., postpaid.** By express or freight, at purchaser's expense: 10 lbs. or more, at **35 cts. per lb.**

Alfalfa

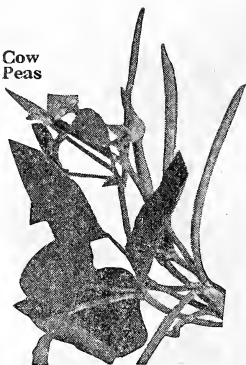


Medium Red Clover

Hairy or Winter Vetch



Cow  
Peas



## COW PEAS

Cow Peas are widely grown for green manure and hay. They are fully as valuable a feed as red clover hay, and nearly equal in value to alfalfa or to wheat bran. For hay the seed is sown from the middle of May until the middle of June, using 60 to 100 pounds per acre.

### 6016 NEW ERA

A small-seeded variety, with bluish seeds. It is the most nearly erect variety known, maturing in from seventy-five to ninety days. One of the earliest and easiest to handle. **Lb. 35 cts.; 5 lbs. \$1.50, postpaid.** By express or freight, 10 lbs. or more, at **20 cts. per lb.**

### 6017 WHIPPOORWILL

A very early maturing variety of upright or bush growth. Ripening early, the crop may be harvested in time to plant winter grain in the fall, by planting in the middle of May. **Lb. 35 cts.; 5 lbs. \$1.50, postpaid.** By express, 10 lbs. or more, at **20 cts. per lb.**

## FIELD PEAS

Valuable to sow early in the spring, in connection with stiff-strawed oats, to produce green forage and for making ensilage. They can be sown also alone at rate of 120 to 180 pounds per acre broadcast early in the spring, or in midsummer to turn under to enrich the land.

### 6010 CANADA FIELD PEAS

A small-seeded, very hardy variety. **Lb. 40 cts., postpaid.** By express or freight, at purchaser's expense, 10 lbs. or more, at **25 cts. per lb.** *Write for prices on large quantities.*

## SOY BEANS

These are adapted to a wide range of climate. They will do on almost any kind of soil, enduring both excessive drought as well as excessive moisture. Soy beans are sown two to three weeks after the corn is in the ground, and are grown for hay, ensilage, and for seed. Twenty to sixty pounds of seeds per acre.

### 6069 MAMMOTH YELLOW

A late variety, requiring one hundred and forty days to mature seed. Most usually grown for hay or green manure, ready for cutting in one hundred and twenty days, and giving an unusual yield of hay. Commonly grown in the south, where it grows exceptionally well.

**Lb. 35 cts.; 5 lbs. \$1.50, postpaid.** By express or freight, 10 lbs. or more, at **20 cts. per lb.**

### 6071 WILSON

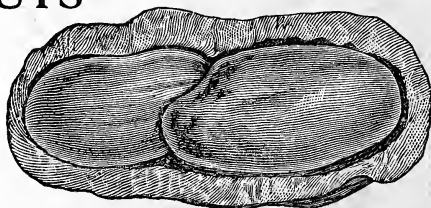
Medium size, black seed. Considered the best all-around variety for the north. Of rather upright growth, with a good amount of foliage and a slight tendency to vine on fertile soil. Matures seeds in one hundred and twenty-five days and is ready for cutting in one hundred days.

**Lb. 35 cts.; 5 lbs. \$1.50, postpaid.** By express, 10 lbs. or more, at **20 cts. per lb.**

## PEANUTS

### 6062 NEW MAMMOTH BUSH

These nuts make compact bushes eighteen inches high, with heavy, erect stalks and large leaves. They produce a large quantity of the mammoth nuts, adapted for culture in our northern climate, especially in light or sandy soils. The very distinct and handsome appearance of these gigantic nuts, and the thick, heavily ribbed protecting shell, are shown in the illustration.



**Pkt. 15 cts.; lb. \$1.00, postpaid.** By express or freight, 10 lbs. or more, at **80 cts. per lb.**

### 6064 SPANISH

This is an excellent forage plant for light land in dry, hot seasons. The tops are cut and cured for hay just before frost. The plants also set a large crop of the small nuts, which make an excellent fattening food for hogs, and the hogs may be pastured on the land after the hay has been gathered. Mature as far north as Michigan.

**Pkt. 10 cts.; lb. 40 cts., postpaid.** By freight or express, 10 lbs. or more, at **25 cts. per lb.**

### 6013 Chufas, or Earth Almonds

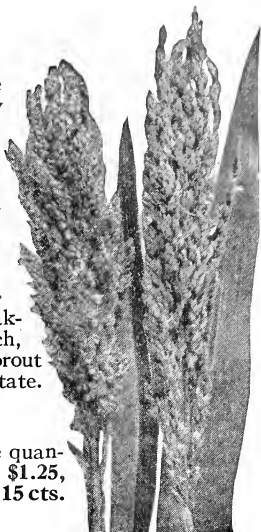
Used extensively in warm, dry sections for hay and for fattening hogs and poultry, which are pastured on the roots or nuts after the tops have been cut for hay. 15 lbs. per acre.

*Write for prices.*

# BROOM CORN

## 6005 IMPROVED EVERGREEN

This is the most popular variety of Broom Corn to grow for the market, the brush being firm and of good length, and when properly cured, retaining the light-green coloring. Sow thinly in drills four feet apart when the trees are in leaf, thinning out to stand one foot apart in the row. The upper portion of the stalk should be bent over when the straw is well developed, to keep it close and straight. **Pkt. 5 cts.; lb. 30 cts.; 5 lbs. \$1.25, postpaid.** By express or freight, 10 lbs. or more, at **18 cts. per lb.**



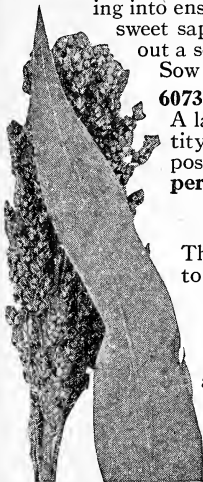
Broom Corn

# SORGHUM, or SUGAR CANE

Sugar Cane is desirable for planting either for feeding green or making into ensilage. The stalks are tender and filled with rich, sweet sap. The plants branch quite freely and will sprout out a second time if not cut too closely in the green state. Sow ten to twelve pounds to the acre.

## 6073 EARLY ORANGE

A late, strong-growing variety, producing a large quantity of fodder. **Pkt. 5 cts.; lb. 30 cts.; 5 lbs. \$1.25, postpaid.** By express or freight, 10 lbs. or more, at **15 cts. per lb.**



Sugar Cane

# 6047 KAFFIR CORN

The stout stalks grow stiffly erect, from six to ten feet in height, according to location and richness of the soil. The stalks and blades cure into good fodder and are also desirable to furnish green forage during the summer months. The seed is borne in a loose, branching head ten to twelve inches in length at the top of the stalk. On good land KAFFIR CORN will yield fifty bushels per acre. The seeds are esteemed for feeding to both stock and poultry. **Lb. 30 cts.; 5 lbs. \$1.25, postpaid.** By express or freight, 10 lbs. or more, at **15 cts. per lb.**

# MILLET

## 6050 HUNGARIAN MILLET (*Panicum Germanicum*)

Seed can be sown early in July. To make the best hay it should be cut before the seeds become hard. Fifty pounds to the acre. *Write for prices.*

## 6049 GOLDEN MILLET (*Chatochloa*)

This is the favorite variety for planting in good land to produce a large crop of hay or forage during the summer months; of strong growth. Sow fifty pounds to the acre. *Tennessee-grown. Write for prices.*

## 6052 PEARL MILLET (*Pencillaria*)

Sown in drills four feet apart and cultivated like corn, the plants attain a height of eight to ten feet, with slender stalks and slender, long-bladed leaves. It should be cut *while young and tender.* *Write for prices.*

## 6051 JAPANESE MILLET (*Panicum Crus-galli*)

Japanese Millet, also called Japanese Barnyard Millet, was introduced in the United States in 1889, and after a few years' trial gained quite some good reputation as a valuable forage crop. For the United States the value as a forage crop seems to be more important than the seed. The forage is tender and highly relished. Yield, 20 tons per acre. Furthermore, it is a fine ensilage and hay crop. JAPANESE MILLET does best on rather rich, retentive soils, but it will not endure drought. Sow in spring, about the time corn is planted, broadcast at the rate of 12 to 14 pounds per acre. *Write for prices.*



Pearl Millet

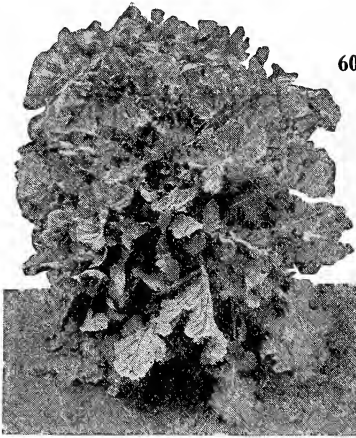
# 6077 TEOSINTE (*Euchlana mexicana*)

The seed should not be sown until all danger of frost is past. With us the plant yields two good cuttings in a season. Farther south more cuttings may be made. In the northern States we should advise drilling the seed thinly in rows four feet apart, leaving the plants one foot apart in the row. The forage is exceedingly tender and is greedily eaten by horses as well as cattle and sheep. **Oz. 10 cts.; lb. 55 cts., postpaid.** By express or freight, at purchaser's expense: 10 lbs. or more, at **40 cts. per lb.**

# RAPE

## 6066 DWARF ESSEX

This is grown largely as a fattening food for sheep in the autumn. It is also especially desirable for pasturing hogs during the summer months. In the Northern States seed may be sown at any time from early spring until the end of August, but in the warm Southern States it should not be sown until September or October for winter pasturage. Sow ten or twelve pounds per acre broadcast and harrow in lightly, or four to five pounds in drills fifteen inches apart. Its fattening properties are estimated to be *twice as great as those of first-class clover*. **True Dwarf Essex Rape.** Lb. 35 cts.; 5 lbs. \$1.50, postpaid. By express or freight, 10 lbs. or more, at 20 cts. per lb.



Dwarf  
Essex Rape

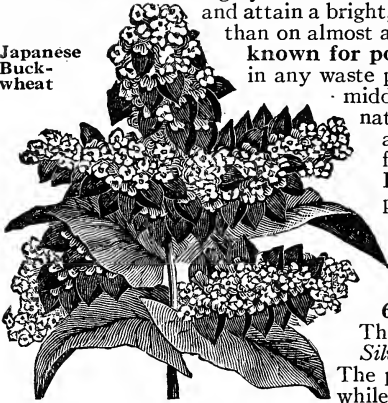
# SUNFLOWER

## 6075 MAMMOTH RUSSIAN

Single heads measure twelve to twenty-two inches in diameter, and contain an immense quantity of seed, and are highly valued as food for fowls. They eat it greedily, fatten well on it, and attain a bright, lustrous plumage and strong, healthy condition better than on almost any other food. **It is the best Egg-producing Food known for poultry.** Every farmer should plant some of the seed in any waste piece of ground, any time from early spring up to the middle of July. It is a wonderful improvement on the old native sunflower, and besides the great value of the seed as a poultry and stock food, its leaves make a capital fodder. Four pounds of seed will plant an acre.

**Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 10 cts.; lb. 35 cts.; 5 lbs. \$1.50, postpaid.** By express or freight, 10 lbs. or more, at 20 cts. per lb.

Japanese  
Buck-  
wheat



# BUCKWHEAT

## 6007 JAPANESE

This is a highly desirable variety. Sown the same day as *Silver Hull*, it ripens earlier and yields nearly double. The plant is of stronger growth than common Buckwheat, while the kernels are fully twice the size. The flour is equal

in quality to that of other Buckwheats.

**Lb. 25 cts.; 5 lbs. \$1.00, postpaid.** By express or freight, 10 lbs. or more, at 12 cts per lb.

## 6008 SILVER HULL

This is a very useful variety, having a large, plump, silvery-gray grain. The plant continues to bloom longer than common Buckwheat, thus producing a larger crop.

**Lb. 25 cts.; 5 lbs. \$1.00, postpaid.** By express or freight, 10 lbs. or more, at 12 cts. per lb.

# TOBACCO SEED

Tobacco is one of the most profitable crops, and with the present high prices its cultivation should be seriously considered by every farmer whose soil and climate are suited to its culture.

## 1345 CONNECTICUT SEED LEAF

An old, well-known variety.

**Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 60 cts.; ¼ lb. \$1.80; lb. \$6.00, postpaid.**

## 1347 LANCASTER COUNTY BROADLEAF

More largely grown than any other in Lancaster County. **Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 60 cts.; ¼ lb. \$1.80; lb. \$6.00.**

## 1349 HAVANA

Grown from seed imported from *Vuelta de Abajo*.

**Pkt. 15 cts.; oz. 90 cts.; ¼ lb. \$2.70; lb. \$9.00, postpaid.**

## 1351 BONANZA

A *White Burley* cross on Yellow Oronoko, possessing the qualities of both parents blended.

**Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 60 cts.; ¼ lb. \$1.80; lb. \$6.00, postpaid.**

## 1353 GENERAL GRANT

It produces leaves forty-four inches in length, and matures as far north as Duluth, Minnesota.

**Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 60 cts.; ¼ lb. \$1.80; lb. \$6.00, postpaid.**

## 1355 STERLING

One of the earliest to ripen and one of the best for all purposes. **Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 60 cts.; ¼ lb. \$1.80; lb. \$6.00, postpaid.**

## 1357 IMPROVED WHITE BURLEY

This strain is much superior to the regular *White Burley*. **Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 60 cts.; ¼ lb. \$1.80; lb. \$6.00, postpaid.**

## 1359 IMPROVED LONG LEAF GOOCH

**Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 60 cts.; ¼ lb. \$1.80; lb. \$6.00, postpaid.**

## 1361 IMPROVED YELLOW ORONOKO

**Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 60 cts.; ¼ lb. \$1.80; lb. \$6.00, postpaid.**

## 1363 SWEET ORONOKO

**Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 60 cts.; ¼ lb. \$1.80; lb. \$6.00, postpaid.**

Farmers Bulletin 416, The Production of Cigar-Leaf Tobacco in Pennsylvania, published by the United States Department of Agriculture, Washington, D. C., should prove valuable to any tobacco grower.



## Flower Gardening

Surely there is nothing more beautiful in this world than flowers! A garden of flowers around the house makes it a real home. Nothing can take the place of a flower-garden. For the sake of little children, and for all that is good in the world, surround your home with the refining and uplifting influence of flowers.

All of us can have some flowers, and with such little care and expense that no one should be without them. And now that the war is over, flowers will be more popular than ever before. There are a number of free-flowering annuals which grow quickly and make a fine display with only little attention. Few people realize that it is easier to grow flowers than to take care of the lawn.

The annual flowers might be divided into three groups:

**Cutting Flowers**

**Bedding Flowers**

**Climbers**

Then, of course, there are special flowers to grow in the house, and perennial flowers that continue to bloom year after year. Some of the finest flowers grow best from bulbs, and these we have listed in the last section of BURPEE'S ANNUAL. A complete flower-garden should contain flowers for every purpose and flowers for every month in the year.

The Burpee experts have prepared the special cultural leaflets listed below. These contain valuable information which will be of interest to any one who grows flowers. Any of the Burpee leaflets will be mailed to you free.

### The Burpee Cultural Leaflets—Flowers

HOW TO GROW SWEET PEAS

HOW TO GROW ASTERS

HOW TO GROW NASTURTIUMS

HOW TO GROW THE LARGEST PANSIES

HOW TO GROW FLOWERS IN THE HOUSE

PERENNIALS FROM SEED

SUMMER-FLOWERING BULBS

SPECIAL CULTURE OF DAHLIAS

THE FLOWER GARDEN

**W. Atlee Burpee Co.**  
Seed Growers Philadelphia



*"Encourage the Beautiful, for the Useful Encourages Itself"*

## 7400 Gem Collection of Annuals

Five Packets of Beautiful Flowers for 25 cents

DIANTHUS, Fordhook Favorites  
 ESCHSCHOLTZIA, Golden West  
 CENTAUREA CYANUS, Blue  
 FOUR O'CLOCK, Mixed  
 CHINESE WOOLFLOWER

Leaflet: "SUGGESTIONS ON SEED SOWING."



**For 25 Cts.** we will mail one regular packet of these five easily grown Annuals. The seeds are all of THE BURPEE-QUALITY, and better strains could not be had at any price. If ordered separately, this assortment would cost 40 cts.

## 7410 Burpee's Dollar Garden of Annual Flowers

Eighteen Packets of Favorite Flowers for \$1.00



Calliopsis

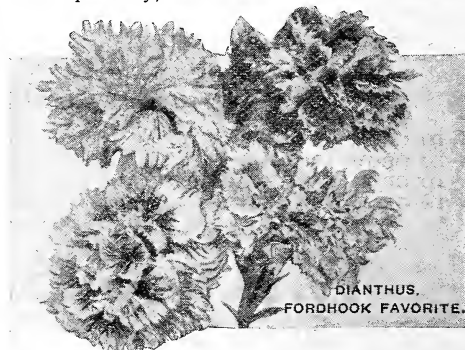


CENTAUREA IMPERIALIS.

SWEET ALYSSUM, Little Gem  
 VERBENA, Fordhook Famous  
 ESCHSCHOLTZIA, Sunset Mixture  
 PETUNIA, Enchantress  
 DIANTHUS, Fordhook Favorites  
 NIGELLA, Miss Jekyll  
 PHLOX, Fordhook Mixed  
 NASTURTIUM, Gorgeous Tom Thumb, Mixed  
 CHINESE WOOLFLOWER  
 CALLIOPSIS DRUMMONDII  
 POPPIES, Fordhook Fairies  
 MARIGOLD, Tall African, Mixed  
 SCABIOSA, Tall Mixed  
 ZINNIA, Mammoth, Mixed  
 CENTAUREA IMPERIALIS, Mixed  
 NICOTIANA SYLVESTRIS

COSMOS, Large Early-Flowering, Mixed  
 SUNFLOWER, Chrysanthemum-Flowered, Mixed  
 The Burpee Leaflets: "SUGGESTIONS ON SEED SOWING";  
 "THE FLOWER GARDEN."

**For \$1.00** we will mail one regular packet of the above eighteen beautiful Annuals. They will give a complete Flower Garden with an abundance of blooms from May until frost. If ordered separately, this assortment would cost \$1.50.



DIANTHUS.  
 FORDHOOK FAVORITE.



Asters

## 7412 Cut Flower Collection of Annuals

Eighteen Packets of the Most Useful Cut Flowers for \$1.00

AGERATUM MEXICANUM, Blue  
 PHLOX, Fordhook Mixed  
 CENTAUREA CYANUS, Blue  
 CALENDULA, Oriole  
 DIANTHUS, Fordhook Favorites  
 GAILLARDIA, Double, Mixed  
 CALLIOPSIS DRUMMONDII  
 LARKSPUR, Compact Blue  
 ANTIRRHINUM, Half-Dwarf, Fancy Mixed  
 CHINESE WOOLFLOWER  
 MIGNONETTE, Pure Machet  
 NASTURTIUM, Gorgeous Tom Thumb, Mixed  
 CELOSIA MAGNIFICENT, Mixed  
 SCABIOSA, Double, Mixed  
 SALPIGLOSSIS GRANDIFLORA, Mixed  
 FEVERFEW  
 COSMOS, Large Early-Flowering, Mixed  
 ASTER, American Late-Branching, Mixed

The Burpee Leaflets:

"SUGGESTIONS ON SEED SOWING."  
 "THE FLOWER GARDEN."

**For \$1.00** we will mail this assortment of Cut-Flowers, together with the two Burpee Leaflets. The collection will provide continuous cutting of the best Annuals suited for indoor decorations from May until frost. If ordered separately, this assortment would cost \$1.50.



Scabiosa

## 7540 Snapdragon Collection, 25 Cts.

1 Packet Each

**BRILLIANT ROSE**  
**QUEEN OF THE NORTH**  
**GOLDEN QUEEN**  
**COTTAGE MAID**

Leaflet: "SUGGESTIONS ON SEED SOWING."

Our Snapdragon Collection has proven to fill a want of the flower-lover who appreciates the delicate shades of an all-summer flower. Sown early in the spring, they bloom continuously until late in the fall.

We will mail the above four packets to you for 25 cts.

## 7560 Pergola Collection of Climbers, 25 Cts.

1 Packet Each

**BALLOON VINE. CANARY BIRD**  
**FLOWER. DOLICHOS, Darkness.**  
**MOONFLOWER, Early-Blooming**  
**Sky Blue. MORNING GLORIES,**  
**Tall Mixed.**

The Burpee Leaflet: "SUGGESTIONS ON SEED SOWING."

Climbing vines are very useful for porches, arbors, pergolas, covering unsightly fences and buildings. All of these are quick growers, producing shade and flowers. We will mail the five packets and the leaflet for 25 cts.

## 7600 Perennial Border Collection, 25 Cts.

1 Packet Each

**DELPHINIUM, Choice Mixed. HOLLYHOCK, Chater's Double Mixed.**  
**DIGITALIS, Fine Mixed. ANCHUSA ITALICA, Dropmore.**

Leaflet: "PERENNIALS FROM SEED."

Too much cannot be said in praise of hardy perennials, and much of their popularity is due to the fact that they are successfully grown with little trouble. This assortment contains four of the most popular varieties. It will be mailed to you for 25 cts.

## 7610 Perennial Garden Collection, \$1.00

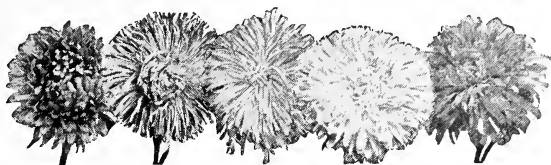
1 packet each of fourteen beautiful perennials easily raised from seed.

**ARABIS Alpina. AQUILEGIA, Long Spurred Hybrids. CHRYSANTHEMUM,**  
**Fordhook Early-Flowering. DELPHINIUM, Belladonna Seedlings. DIAN-**  
**THUS Scoticus. DIGITALIS, Mixed. GEUM Coccineum. HIBISCUS, Giant**  
**Mallow Marvels. LYCHNIS Chalcedonica. PAPAVER Orientale. PYRE-**  
**THRUM Roseum. SWEET ROCKET, Mixed. SWEET WILLIAM, Single**  
**Mixed. SHASTA DAISY.**

The Burpee Leaflet: "PERENNIALS FROM SEED."

The earliest spring flowers are found among the perennials, blooming almost at the time of the Crocus. Their greatest value lies in their permanency, and they increase from year to year in beauty. This collection will be mailed to your address for \$1.00.





## 7500 Five of the Finest American Asters, 25 Cts.

**ROYAL ROSE**

**MARY SEMPLE**

**WHITE MIKADO**

**VIOLET KING**

**FORDHOOK FAVORITES**

Leaflet: "HOW TO GROW ASTERS."

For many years we have made a special study of Asters and we included in our list only those which, after careful trial, proved to be the best types. The four varieties and the mixture in this collection are unsurpassed for their beauty. All are long stemmed and make good cut-flowers. This collection of FIVE OF THE FINEST AMERICAN ASTERS will be mailed to any address for 25 cts.

## 7510 American Collection of Asters, \$1.00

Fourteen Finest American Asters of the best types.

**LATE BRANCHING, White**

**CREGO'S WHITE**

**QUEEN OF THE MARKET, White**

**ROYAL WHITE**

**LATE BRANCHING, Mary Semple**

**DAYBREAK PINK**

**CREGO'S ROSE PINK**

**LAVENDER KING**

**DAYBREAK BLUEBIRD**

**ROYAL PURPLE**

**AMERICAN BEAUTY**

**CRIMSON GIANT**

**ROSE KING**

**ROCHESTER OR MIKADO**

Leaflet: "HOW TO GROW ASTERS."



LAVENDER KING.

All these are the cream of their class or type and will make a long-season Aster bed, blooming from early August until late in the fall. We will mail this collection to you for \$1.00.

## 7530 Brilliant Collection of Dwarf Nasturtiums, 25 Cts.

This collection has always been a favorite with many of our customers, and our 1920 assortment contains five of the best varieties, all of the dwarf type.

**IVY-LEAVED, Golden Butterfly**

**QUEEN OF TOM THUMB, Chameleon**

**DAVID BURPEE**

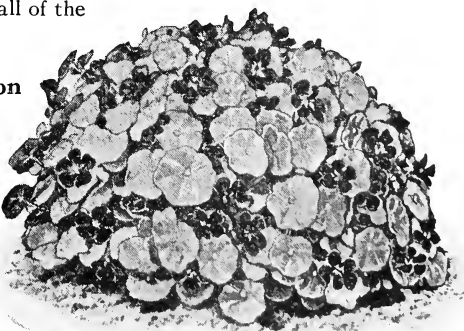
**TOM THUMB, Pearl**

**TOM THUMB, Cœruleum Roseum**

Leaflet: "HOW TO GROW NASTURTiums."

These will give a bed of glowing colors all during summer and fall. Nasturtiums are one of our most popular annual flowers.

We will mail this collection for 25 cts.



## 7301 Six Standard Spencer Sweet Peas for 25 Cts.



The "SIX STANDARD SPENCERS" is a most popular collection. Sweet Peas are a Burpee specialty of foremost importance, and Burpee's Floradale Farms in the Lompoc Valley, California, is their home. It is here where acres and acres of these beautiful flowers are grown for seed. For 1920 the "SIX STANDARD SPENCERS" include a beautiful range of colors of really choice, strong-growing, and large-flowered varieties.

**Cherub:** Deep rich cream, edged with bright rose.

**Hercules:** Magnificent soft rose-pink flowers.

**Fiery Cross:** Glowing orange-scarlet.

**Constance Hinton:** A beautiful snow-white of largest size.

**Florence Nightingale:** Rich lavender, suffused rose-pink.

**Rosabelle:** Attractive deep rose self.

Burpee Leaflet: "HOW TO GROW SWEET PEAS."

If purchased separately, this assortment would cost 65 cts. We will mail it complete to your door for **25 cts.**

## 7304 Six Newer Spencer Sweet Peas for 50 Cts.



Many of our customers are interested in the more recent introduction of Sweet Peas, and our collection of "SIX NEWER SPENCERS" has become very popular. Only recent introductions of various colors and shades, all of course of outstanding merit, have been considered, and the following six were chosen as the "cream." Our leaflet, "HOW TO GROW SWEET PEAS," is included in each collection.

**Annie Bownass:** Deep pink, suffused amber.

**Beryl:** Light salmon pink.

**Don Alvar:** Silvery blue.

**Floradale Fairy:** Rich cream.

**Sincerity:** Glowing cerise.

**Warrior:** Bronzy maroon.

If purchased separately, this assortment would cost 90 cts.

Mailed to any address for **50 cts.**

## 7310 Burpee's Dollar Box of Sweet Peas

The "DOLLAR BOX OF SPENCER SWEET PEAS" is a most wonderful collection of the finest varieties in a complete and harmonious color combination. The assortment contains:

**1 Pkt. each:**

**Agricola:** Silvery lilac.

**Cherub:** Cream, edged pink.

**Constance Hinton:** Pure white.

**Elfrida Pearson:** Light pink.

**Fiery Cross:** Orange-scarlet.

**Florence Nightingale:** Soft lavender.

**George Herbert:** Rose.

**Hercules:** Rich pink.

**King Manoel:** Maroon.

**King White:** The best white.

**Margaret Atlee:** Rich pink and cream.

**Mrs. Townsend:** White edged light blue.

**Queen Victoria Spencer:** Cream.

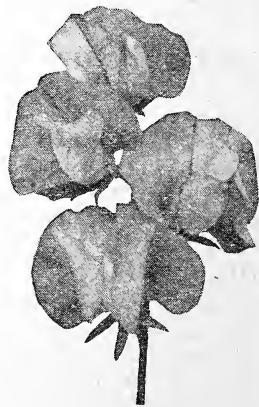
**Rosabelle:** Rose.

**Royal Purple:** Purple.

**The President:** Orange.

**Wedgwood:** True blue.

**Burpee Blend:** The finest mixture.



18 packets of the finest Spencer Sweet Peas and our leaflet, "HOW TO GROW SWEET PEAS." Mailed to any address for **\$1.00**, postpaid.

## 7350 Fordhook Collection of Early-Flowering Spencers for 50 Cts.

The early- or winter-flowering type of Spencer Sweet Peas is most valuable for our own southern states, South Africa, and Australia. They are found everywhere grown in the greenhouse during the winter, and are of value in our northern states, where early flowers are wanted.

Page 119 gives a color illustration of all six contained in this collection.

**Blue-Bird.** A pleasing and attractive shade of blue.

**Daybreak.** Rich rosy pink on cream ground, deepening toward the edge.

**Enchantress.** Bright rose-pink becoming richer on the margin.

**Exquisite.** Soft primrose, picoteed with deep rose-pink.

**Improved Snowstorm.** The finest white variety in existence.

**Splendor.** Rich rose-crimson with a white blotch on the base.



## 7312 Sunburst Collection of Spencer Sweet Peas for \$2.00



A larger and more complete assortment of Spencer Sweet Peas than is contained in Burpee's Dollar Box. Thirty-five packets and our booklet, "SWEET PEAS UP-TO-DATE," mailed to any address for \$2.00.

**Agricola.** **Barbara.** **Blue Monarch.** **Cherub.** **Constance**  
**Hinton.** **Dainty Spencer.** **Decorator.** **Elfrida Pearson.** **Em-**  
**press Eugenie.** **Fiery Cross.** **Florence Nightingale.** **George**  
**Herbert.** **Helen Lewis.** **Hercules.** **Illuminator.** **Irish Belle.**  
**Isobel Malcolm.** **King Edward Spencer.** **King Manoel.** **King**  
**White.** **Margaret Atlee.** **Mrs. Cuthbertson.** **Mrs. J. Balmer.**  
**Mrs. Routzahn.** **Mrs. Townsend.** **Mrs. W. J. Unwin.** **Phan-**  
**tom Blue.** **Queen Victoria Spencer.** **Rosabelle.** **Rosina.**  
**Royal Purple.** **Stirling Stent.** **The President.** **Wedgwood.**

**Burpee Blend.** If purchased separately, this collection would cost \$3.60.

## 7315 Prize Collection of Spencer Sweet Peas, \$5.00

Some of our friends are "Sweet Pea enthusiasts" and grow large quantities for exhibition purposes. Every variety in this collection is a "Prize Winner," and without question the finest collection of Sweet Peas ever offered, regardless of price. TWENTY HALF-OUNCES and our booklet, "SWEET PEAS UP-TO-DATE," mailed complete for \$5.00.

**Barbara.** Delicate soft salmon.

**Don Alvar.** A delightful soft silvery blue.

**Doris Usher.** Salmon pink on cream ground.

**Elfrida Pearson.** Lovely pink throughout.

**Elsie Edwards.** Deep cream, shaded rose-pink.

**Fiery Cross.** Glowing orange-scarlet.

**Floradale Fairy.** The finest deep cream variety.

**George Herbert.** Rich rosy carmine.

**Hercules.** Magnificent soft rose-pink.

**Illuminator.** Glowing cerise-salmon.

**King Edward Spencer.** Deep carmine-scarlet.

**King Manoel.** Rich maroon or deep chocolate.

**King White.** Glistering pure white.

**Margaret Atlee.** Rich glowing pink or cream.

**Mrs. A. G. Gentle.** White, edged with bright scarlet-pink.

**Mrs. W. J. Unwin.** White, flaked and striped orange-scarlet.

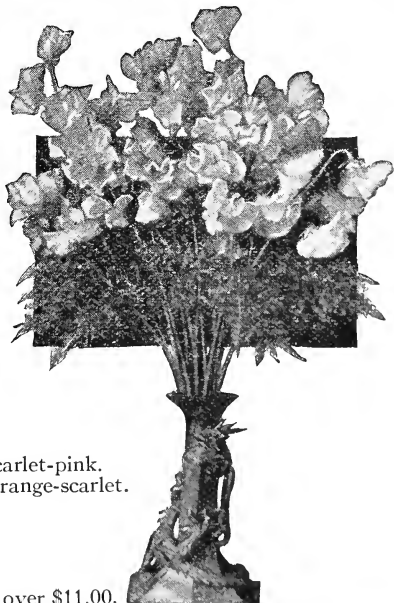
**Orchid.** A beautiful "Cattleya" shade.

**Royal Purple.** Rich warm purple tint.

**The President.** Brilliant orange-scarlet.

**Wedgwood.** A unique shade of lovely blue.

If purchased separately, this collection would cost over \$11.00.





# Burpee's Sweet Peas

## Three New Spencers for 1920

The first Spencer Sweet Pea in existence, brought to America by W. Atlee Burpee, created a new era for this beautiful flower. As far back as 1887, we began to specialize in Sweet Peas, and today's list shows that most of the leading varieties originated with or were first introduced to American gardens by the W. Atlee Burpee Co. In late years special pains have been taken not only in developing new colors and shades, but also in breeding varieties with larger

and more perfect flowers. We are fortunate to have for 1920 introduction three varieties which we feel will be welcomed by American flower-lovers.

**Hawlmarmk Pink**  
New Spencer  
Sweet Pea for 1920

### 3477 Hawlmarmk Pink

The Sweet Pea of the year. We think **HAWLMARK PINK** is one of the finest varieties we have ever had the good fortune to offer. It originated with our friend Mr. Alex. Dickson, of Belfast, the noted Sweet Pea expert. To the Sweet Pea enthusiast the source of origin is sufficient guarantee for outstanding merits.

The standard is clear salmon pink, the wings almost rose-pink. The flowers are really superb in size and texture, with the standard attractively waved. The long stems are strong but graceful, carrying four and even five blooms to a stalk, all elegantly placed.

In sealed packets containing 12 seeds each. **Pkt. 35 cts.,** postpaid.

### 3439 Daisybud

A lovely novelty of delicate and soft appearance. The color of the flowers is a harmonious combination of apple-blossom tints with the suggestion of cream-pink. The texture of the flower is substantial but dainty. Wherever the variety was exhibited it was the object of much admiration. The flowers are well formed and of largest size, carried four on a stem and well displayed.

In sealed packets containing 12 seeds each. **Pkt. 25 cts.,** postpaid.

### 3427 Brocade

A unique novelty of most charming color, or rather combinations of color. It is a mixture of salmon, rosy lavender, and rose-pink, with a satiny finish. The flowers are large and finely formed on strong stems.

In sealed packets containing 12 seeds each. **Pkt. 25 cts.,** postpaid.

The Burpee Novelties of the Early or Winter-Flowering Spencer Sweet Peas are listed on pages 116-118

# BURPEE'S SWEET PEAS

Have won during the past few years Eight Silver Cups, Seven Gold Medals, besides innumerable Certificates for new varieties, thus clearly demonstrating the great superiority of our stocks.

Our leaflet, "How to grow Sweet Peas," mailed free on request.

## White

### 3490 KING WHITE (Burpee's)

Remarkable for the "glistening purity of the whiteness" and the perfect finish of the flower. While of truly gigantic proportions, the flowers are most exquisitely fashioned in every detail.

Pkt. 10 cts.; ½ oz. 40 cts.; oz. 75 cts.; ¼ lb. \$2.25; lb. \$7.50, postpaid.

### 3435 CONSTANCE HINTON

Decidedly the best black-seeded, white-flowered variety. Flowers are of largest size, and come at times with a decided blush tinge.

Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 75 cts.; ¼ lb. \$2.25; lb. \$7.50, postpaid.

## Cream or Primrose

### 3456 FLORADALE FAIRY (Burpee's)

Undoubtedly the deepest, most richly colored of all the cream varieties. Large flowers, beautifully waved, many of them duplex, four on a stem. Pkt. 15 cts.; ½ oz. \$1.10; oz. \$2.00, postpaid.

### 3487 ISOBEL MALCOLM

The flowers are wonderfully frilled and of exquisite quality. Color a rich cream self. Black-seeded. Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 75 cts.; ¼ lb. \$2.25; lb. \$7.50, postpaid.

### 3554 QUEEN VICTORIA SPENCER (Burpee's)

The flowers are extremely large and present a most pleasing color effect. The background is quite a deep primrose, flushed with rose.

Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 70 cts.; ¼ lb. \$2.10; lb. \$7.00, postpaid.

## Light Pink

### 3404 AGRICOLA

The flowers are white, delicately suffused soft, silvery lilac-pink.

Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 70 cts.; ¼ lb. \$2.10; lb. \$7.00, postpaid.

### 3432 CIS WRIGHT

Color blush white. As the flower opens it is heavily suffused with amber and pale pink. Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. \$1.00; ¼ lb. \$3.00, postpaid.

### 3449 ELEGANCE

Flowers of largest size and invariably produced four on a stem. Color a distinct and pleasing shade of blush-pink. Received an Award of Merit from the Royal Horticultural Society of England, 1918.

Pkt. 25 cts.

### 3450 ELFRIDA PEARSON

An old favorite. The color is a lovely pink throughout, the buds and flowers being tinted with salmon-pink.

Pkt. 10 cts.; ½ oz. 40 cts.; oz. 75 cts.; ¼ lb. \$2.25; lb. \$7.50, postpaid.



King White  
(Burpee's)

## Cream Pink

### 3528 MRS. ROUTZAHN (Burpee's)

The plants are of vigorous, free habit, extremely floriferous, with flowers of large size. Buff or apricot with delicate pink, deepening toward the edges. This was one of the first true Spencers developed in America and is still a leader.

Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 70 cts.; ¼ lb. \$2.10; lb. \$7.00, postpaid.

### 3498 MARGARET ATLEE

A rich glowing pink on cream ground, softly suffused with salmon in the standard, while the wings are a pleasing shade of pinkish rose and salmon. The flowers are of largest size, produced four on a long, strong stem and are quite often of a "duplex" form.

Pkt. 10 cts.; ½ oz. 40 cts.; oz. 75 cts.; ¼ lb. \$2.25; lb. \$7.50, postpaid.

### 3524 MRS. HUGH DICKSON

One of the most attractive and pleasing varieties. The flowers are very large and are elegantly carried, usually four together on a long, strong stem. The coloring is apricot on a cream ground, shading off rather lighter toward the center of the flower.

Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 70 cts.; ¼ lb. \$2.10; lb. \$7.00, postpaid.

# SWEET PEAS—Continued

## Salmon

### 3416 BARBARA

A superb salmon-colored self that makes a "telling" bunch either for exhibition or table decoration. Pkt. 10 cts.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 55 cts.; oz. \$1.00;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$3.00; lb. \$10.00, postpaid.

### 3575 STERLING STENT

The color is a rich, glowing deep-salmon self, suffused with orange. Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 75 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$2.25; lb. \$7.50, postpaid.

## Orange

### 3480 HELEN LEWIS

Orange-rose wings; the standard is intense rich crimson-orange. Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 75 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$2.25; lb. \$7.50, postpaid.

### 3566 ROBERT SYDENHAM

Is a magnificent glowing orange self. The large flowers are usually produced four on a stem, well placed, beautifully waved. Requires slight shading to preserve the brilliant deep-orange color. Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 85 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$2.50; lb. \$8.50, postpaid.

### 3578 THE PRESIDENT

Flowers are of largest size, carried on strong, stiff stems, usually in fours. A brilliant orange-scarlet. Pkt. 15 cts.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 85 cts.; oz. \$1.50;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$4.50, postpaid.

### 3581 THOMAS STEVENSON

Intense flaming orange; wings rosy-carmine, shaded orange. Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. \$1.00;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$3.00; lb. \$10.00, postpaid.

## Cerise

### 3485 ILLUMINATOR (Burpee's)

A rich, glowing cerise-salmon, with an indication of bright orange suffusion which glitters under bright sunlight; under artificial light the flowers appear to be a glowing orange-scarlet. Pkt. 10 cts.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 45 cts.; oz. 80 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$2.40; lb. \$8.00, postpaid.

### 3455 FIERY CROSS (Burpee's)

The standard is a scorching fire-red or rich orange-scarlet, which scintillates and glitters in the bright sunlight with a glowing, fire-like sheen that radiates over the entire flower, including the rich, cherry-orange wings. Pkt. 15 cts.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 85 cts.; oz. \$1.50;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$4.50, postpaid.

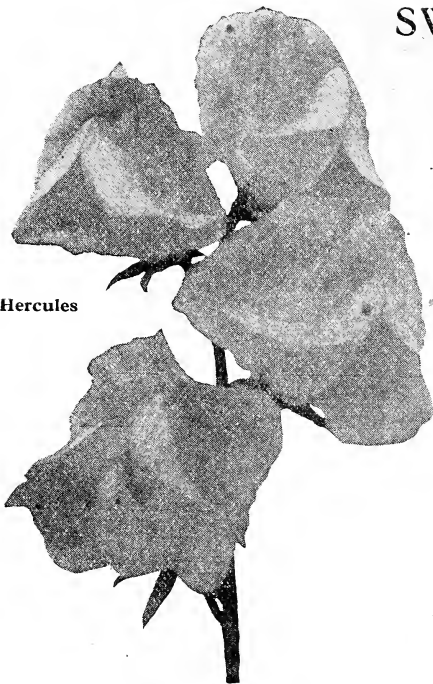
### 3573 SINCERITY

The flowers, of immense size, are produced four on a stem, while the color is a unique, pleasing, solid shade of bright glowing cerise. Pkt. 15 cts.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 85 cts.; oz. \$1.50;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$4.50, postpaid.

### 3522 MRS. G. W. BISHOP

The color may be briefly described as a salmon-cerise with orange suffusion. The large flowers are usually borne in fours on long stiff stems, beautifully waved and well placed. Received an Award of Merit from the Royal Horticultural Society of England, 1918. (Packets only.) Pkt. 25 cts.

Hercules



Salmon Pink

### 3495 LILIAN

The color is a most pleasing shade of soft salmon-pink with suffusion of amber, the wings being decidedly flushed rose toward the base. Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. \$1.00;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$3.00, postpaid.

### 3421 BERYL

Color, a lovely shade of pink, heavily suffused with salmon. It might be briefly described as a bright salmon-pink self.

Pkt. 15 cts.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 85 cts.; oz. \$1.50;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$4.50, postpaid.

### 3443 DORIS USHER

Salmon-pink on cream ground. The flowers are of largest size, freely borne four on a stem. Pkt. 10 cts.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 45 cts.; oz. 80 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$2.40; lb. \$8.00, postpaid.

## Deep Pink

### 3407 ANNIE BOWNASS

Flowers of largest size. Color rich bright pink, heavily suffused salmon and amber on white ground. Pkt. 15 cts.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. \$1.10; oz. \$2.00;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$6.00, postpaid.

### 3438 COUNTESS SPENCER

A soft rose-pink, which deepens at the outer edges and becomes still richer in cool weather. Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 75 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$2.25; lb. \$7.50, postpaid.

### 3484 HERCULES

A magnificent soft rose-pink self. The standard frequently measures two and one-half inches in diameter. Pkt. 10 cts.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 40 cts.; oz. 75 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$2.25; lb. \$7.50, postpaid.

# SWEET PEAS—Continued

## Rose and Carmine

### 3442 DECORATOR (Burpee's)

The color is rich rose overlaid with terracotta, intensifying to deep bright orange at base of wings. Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 70 cts.; ¼ lb. \$2.10; lb. \$7.00, postpaid.

### 3472 GEORGE HERBERT

A most magnificent Spencer. The flowers are a rich rosy-carmine, free from any terra-cotta hue. The blooms are large, well waved and carried three or four on a strong stem.

Pkt. 10 cts.; ½ oz. 40 cts.; oz. 75 cts.; ¼ lb. \$2.25; lb. \$7.50, postpaid.

### 3567 ROSABELLE

A beautiful deep rose self with white blotch at the base of the standard and wings. The flowers are unusually bold and large, of fine substance, and carried well placed on a long stem.

Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 75 cts.; ¼ lb. \$2.25; lb. \$7.50, postpaid.

## Crimson and Scarlet

### 3488 KING EDWARD SPENCER

Deep rich carmine-scarlet. The wings are also carmine-scarlet, and on reverse side deep rosy carmine.

Pkt. 10 cts.; ½ oz. 55 cts.; oz. \$1.00; ¼ lb. \$3.00; lb. \$10.00, postpaid.

### 3587 VERMILION BRILLIANT

The wings are of intense pure scarlet, making a uniform self-color throughout. This is by far the most intense self-scarlet in existence. The bold flowers are of largest size and are almost sunproof.

Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 80 cts.; ¼ lb. \$2.40; lb. \$8.00, postpaid.

## Lavender and Light Blue

### 3441 DON ALVAR

The flowers are of largest size. The color is a delightful soft silvery-blue or lavender. Pkt. 15 cts.; ½ oz. 85 cts.; oz. \$1.50; ¼ lb. \$4.50, postpaid.

### 3500 MARGARET MADISON

A clear azure-blue self. Flowers of good size and substance, gracefully carried on a fine stem.

Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. \$1.00; ¼ lb. \$3.00; lb. \$10.00, postpaid.

### 3539 ORCHID (Burpee's)

The flowers suggest the rich tone found only in the Cattleya orchids. Of extra-large size; one of the best lavender selfs.

Pkt. 10 cts.; ½ oz. 55 cts.; oz. \$1.00; ¼ lb. \$3.00; lb. \$10.00, postpaid.

### 3462 FLORENCE NIGHTINGALE (Burpee's)

A soft, clear, rich lavender, enlivened by a very faint sheen of rose-pink.

Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 80 cts.; ¼ lb. \$2.40; lb. \$8.00, postpaid.



Vermilion  
Brilliant

## Blue

### 3546 PHANTOM BLUE (Burpee's)

Phantom Blue is an opalescent blue, marvelously blended with a tinge of delicate purple, giving the entire flower a delightful pastel or "art" shade of blue.

Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 80 cts.; ¼ lb. \$2.40; lb. \$8.00, postpaid.

### 3589 WEDGWOOD

The best blue Spencer. It is a unique shade of lovely blue. Pkt. 10 cts.; ½ oz. 55 cts.; oz. \$1.00; ¼ lb. \$3.00; lb. \$10.00, postpaid.

### 3425 BLUE MONARCH

A splendid new dark-blue self.

Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 80 cts.; ¼ lb. \$2.40; lb. \$8.00, postpaid.

## Mauve and Purple

### 3493 THE LADY EVELINE

A charming shade of rosy-mauve. The beautiful large flowers are usually produced four on a stem. Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 80 cts.; ¼ lb. \$2.40; lb. \$8.00, postpaid.

### 3579 TENNANT SPENCER

The best of the heliotrope shades. It is self-colored in most attractive rosy-purple.

Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 75 cts.; ¼ lb. \$2.25; lb. \$7.50, postpaid.

### 3569 ROYAL PURPLE

The color is a rich, warm purple, the younger flowers having a slightly softer color tone.

Pkt. 10 cts.; ½ oz. 50 cts.; oz. 90 cts.; ¼ lb. \$2.70; lb. \$9.00, postpaid.

# SWEET PEAS—Continued

## Claret and Maroon

### 3591 WARRIOR

Color rich reddish maroon flushed with bronze. The flowers are of great size, perfectly formed and placed. Lovers of dark shades will appreciate Warrior, which is by far the finest maroon yet introduced.

Pkt. 15 cts.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 55 cts.; oz. \$1.00;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$3.00, postpaid.

### 3489 KING MANOEIL

A giant-flowered maroon or deep chocolate-colored variety that is sure to please all who admire rich shades.

Pkt. 10 cts.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 40 cts.; oz. 75 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$2.25; lb. \$7.50, postpaid.

## Pastel Shades

### 3430 CHARLES FOSTER

There is a suffusion of salmon, amber, mauve, and rose running through and varying in depth of color, being rather darker

at the base of the standard and wings.

Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 75 cts.;

$\frac{1}{4}$  lb.

\$2.25;

lb. \$7.50, postpaid.

### 3486 IRISH BELLE, OR DREAM

A lovely rich lilac flushed with pink.

Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 75 cts.;

$\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$2.25;

lb. \$7.50, postpaid.

### 3568 ROSINA

A rich rosy heliotrope with darker shadings in the folds of the standard, the wings bluish heliotrope,

cream ground. Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 75 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$2.25;

Rosina

lb. \$7.50, postpaid.

### 3547 PRINCE GEORGE

The standard is rosy lilac with veinings of richer rose, having a distinct darker rose blotch at the base, wings violet-rose.

Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 75 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$2.25; lb. \$7.50, postpaid.

## Picotee Edged

### 3440 DAINTY SPENCER (Burpee's)

A most beautiful pink-edged variety; the ground color is pure white, with a very distinct margin of rose-pink. The flowers are of largest size, well frilled and gracefully placed on long strong stems.

Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 75 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$2.25; lb. \$7.50, postpaid.

### 3433 CHERUB (Burpee's)

One of the most attractive of all picotee varieties. A deep rich cream, charmingly edged with bright rose.

Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 75 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$2.25; lb. \$7.50, postpaid.

### 3517 MRS. A. G. GENTLE

A beautiful variety of much merit. The ground color is white, the standard heavily edged with bright scarlet-pink. The back of the standard is softly edged and sometimes suffused scarlet-pink.

Pkt. 15 cts.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 55 cts.; oz. \$1.00;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$3.00, postpaid.

### 3527 MRS. J. BALMER

The ground color is a rich deep cream, the back of standard heavily suffused bright scarlet-pink, wings edged pink; a charming variety of outstanding merit.

Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 80 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$2.40; lb. \$8.00, postpaid.

### 3530 MRS. TOWNSEND

White, with a clear picotee edge of blue around both standard and wings. Makes an airy and delicate bunch.

Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 75 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$2.25; lb. \$7.50, postpaid.

## Bicolor

### 3518 MRS. CUTHBERTSON

The standard is a clear rose-pink in color, wings white, slightly flushed light rose. The flowers are large and elegantly waved. A strong, vigorous grower and very free flowering.

Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 75 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$2.25; lb. \$7.50, postpaid.

### 3422 BLANCHE FERRY SPENCER

The standard is bright rose, the wings pinkish or bluish-white.

Pkt.

10

cts.;

oz. 80

cts.;

$\frac{1}{4}$  lb.

\$2.40;

lb. \$8.00,

postpaid.

### 3451 ELSIE EDWARDS

Color, deep cream, the standard a pleasing shade of rich, rose-pink, wings slightly flushed rose.

Pkt. 15 cts.;

$\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 55 cts.;

oz. \$1.00;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$3.00, postpaid.

Mrs. Cuthbertson

## SWEET PEAS—Continued

### Striped and Flaked

#### 3406 AMERICA SPENCER

The ground color is ivory-white, distinctly striped with brilliant crimson-red. Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 75 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$2.25; lb. \$7.50, postpaid.

#### 3532 MRS. W. J. UNWIN

The brightest and best flaked variety. The ground color is white, beautifully flaked rich orange-scarlet. Pkt. 10 cts.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 40 cts.; oz. 75 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$2.25; lb. \$7.50, postpaid.

#### 3452 EMPRESS EUGENIE (Burpee's)

A delicate tone of dove-gray, flaked with light lavender. The flowers are large and beautifully waved, the wings being held well in front of the standard. The flowers are almost invariably borne four to a stem. When bunched, the flowers give a most charming color harmony. Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 75 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$2.25; lb. \$7.50, postpaid.

#### 3533 MRS. T. W. WARREN

A most exquisitely marked variety. The ground color is white, the entire flower—both standard and wings—being beautifully penciled deep rich blue. Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 75 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$2.25; lb. \$7.50, postpaid.

#### 3496 LOYALTY

This is a lovely violet-blue flake on white ground. Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 75 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$2.25; lb. \$7.50, postpaid.

#### 3572 SENATOR SPENCER (Burpee's)

The color is a varying combination of deep claret and chocolate, striped and flaked on a ground of light heliotrope. Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 75 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$2.25; lb. \$7.50, postpaid.

### Mixed

#### 3600 BURPEE SPECIAL MIXTURE OF LIGHT SHADES

Some of our customers do not care for the deeper colors in Sweet Peas. For their benefit we have prepared this special mixture containing only the lighter shades, such as white, cream, pink, salmon, and lavender. Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 50 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$1.50; lb. \$5.00, postpaid.

### 3599 Burpee Blend of Re-selected Superb Spencer Sweet Peas

Although the majority of our customers now plant Sweet Peas in separate named varieties, yet there are many thousands who like to have a showy row of the finest mixed Spencers. For years our special Blend of *Superb Spencer* or *Orchid-flowered Sweet Peas* has given unbounded pleasure to our friends, yet we aim always to improve, and can unhesitatingly say that this New Burpee-Blend for 1920 is the finest and most gorgeous mixture of Spencers ever offered.

The Burpee-Blend contains the cream of the very finest named Spencer varieties, including many recent novelties and several superb new seedlings not yet introduced. It is the very best Blend possible to produce to-day and will surely delight all who want a grand variety of colors. Pkt. 10 cts.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 25 cts.; oz. 40 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$1.20; lb. \$4.00, postpaid.

The Burpee Leaflet, "How to Grow Sweet Peas," has been revised and gives complete cultural directions. It is written by an expert and specialist in Sweet Peas. If you are interested in Sweet Peas ask for a free copy.



Empress  
Eugenie

### Dwarf Cupid Sweet Peas

Plants are seldom more than six inches in height and form a dense mat of richest green foliage fifteen inches or more in diameter. The flowers are placed three or four at the top of a short stiff stem.

#### 2540 PINK CUPID

Standard bright rose-pink; wings white, tinted with rose.

#### 2545 WHITE CUPID

Pure white flowers.

#### 2549 FINEST MIXED

More than forty colors blended in suitable proportions.

Each of the above: Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 25 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 75 cts.; lb. \$2.50, postpaid.



# BURPEE'S EARLY- OR WINTER-FLOWERING SPENCER SWEET PEAS

The Fordhook Early- or Winter-flowering strain of Spencer Sweet Peas is the result of more than ten years' careful scientific work. After the introduction of that magnificent Australian variety "Yarrowa" we began to cross it with the finest varieties of Burpee's Summer-flowering Spencers for the purpose of breeding a complete race of improved Early-flowering Spencers. The results surpassed all expectations. We are now able to offer true Winter-flowering Spencer Sweet Peas in all desirable shades.

The Winter-flowering Spencers are invaluable to florists for greenhouse culture, and are also adapted to outdoor planting in warmer climates, such as our own southern states and Australia, where the Summer-flowering Spencers cannot be grown successfully. In cooler climates they are of value only where early blooming is considered an advantage.

## White

**3392 IMPROVED SNOWSTORM (Burpee's)**  
(See color illustration, page 119.) The result of a cross made between King White and Yarrowa, it embodies the best qualities of those two varieties and easily eclipses all early-flowering white Sweet Peas to date. The flowers are of Yarrowa size, but finer form, as the standard does not reflex, but is magnificently bold, though charmingly waved. A vigorous grower, the immense flowers are invariably borne in fours on very long stems. This is the last word in White Sweet Peas. Awarded Certificate of Merit at the Great International Show, New York, March 20, 1918. Pkt. 15 cts.; ½ oz. \$1.00; oz. \$1.85; ¼ lb. \$5.50, postpaid.

**3390 EARLY SANKEY (Burpee's)**  
This truly magnificent white was awarded a special Silver Medal when exhibited at the great International Show in New York, March 20, 1915, also Certificate of Merit at the Spring Show of The Pennsylvania Horticultural Society, Philadelphia, March 23, 1915. Black seeded. Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. \$1.00; ¼ lb. \$3.00; lb. \$10.00, postpaid.

**3332 ALBATROSS (Burpee Novelty for 1920)**  
A new black-seeded white of immense size. The magnificent flowers are of great substance, and usually borne four on a stem of great length. As with all black-seeded whites, the flowers at times are slightly tinted with pale pink, and this greatly adds to the beauty and grace of the variety. Of vigorous habit and extremely free flowering. Excellent for bunching, and equally desirable for the commercial grower or home gardener. Pkt. 25 cts.

## Cream and Primrose

**3342 CANARY BIRD (Burpee's)**  
This is a splendid, rich, deep cream or primrose-colored self. The flowers are of great size, beautifully waved, and usually borne three or four on a stem. Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. \$1.25; ¼ lb. \$3.75; lb. \$12.50, postpaid.

**3384 PRIMROSE BEAUTY (Burpee's)**  
A pleasing shade of deep primrose flushed with rose. The flowers are of great size and beautifully waved in true Spencer form. Grown under glass, this variety attains a height of only five to six feet and is, therefore, valuable for culture on raised benches or on the side benches of low-roofed houses. Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. \$1.25; ¼ lb. \$3.75; lb. \$12.50, postpaid.

## Light Pink

**3376 LOVELINESS (Burpee's)**  
The color is white, the entire flower being suffused soft pink until it reaches the edges, which are distinctly pitted with rose-pink. Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. \$1.00; ¼ lb. \$3.00; lb. \$10.00, postpaid.

**3395 SWEET BRIAR (Burpee's)**  
Color a lovely shade of pink throughout, but with a soft salmon or amber suffusion, this being more accentuated in the younger flowers and buds. Grown under glass, this variety attains a height of only five to six feet and is valuable for culture in low-roofed houses. Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. \$1.00; ¼ lb. \$3.00; lb. \$10.00, postpaid.

## Cream Pink

**3348 DAYBREAK (Burpee's)**  
(See color illustration, page 119.) The flowers are much frilled or waved, of largest size. A pleasing shade of rich rose-pink on cream ground, the color becoming deeper toward the edge of standard and wings. The entire flower is lightly suffused with salmon. Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. \$1.25; ¼ lb. \$3.75; lb. \$12.50, postpaid.

**3394 SUNBURST (Burpee's)**  
One of the most attractive and pleasing varieties. The flowers are very large, often measuring two and one-quarter inches across. Color a pleasing shade of rich pink, becoming lighter toward the base of standard and wings, with a suffusion of amber and salmon. Grown under glass, this variety attains a height of only five to six feet and is, therefore, valuable for culture on raised benches or on the side benches of low-roofed houses. Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. \$1.25; ¼ lb. \$3.75; lb. \$12.50, postpaid.

**3386 RISING SUN (Burpee Novelty for 1920)**  
Rose-pink on cream. A bright and most attractive flower. The light lemon-colored keel being placed in the center of this lovely combination of rich pink and rose, creates a most charming color harmony. A fresh and distinctly beautiful flower. Pkt. 25 cts.

## Deep Pink

**3383 PINK BEAUTY (Burpee's)**  
The color is soft rose-pink on white ground, richer toward the edges, gradually softening in color as it reaches the center of standard and wings. Awarded Certificate of Merit at The International Show, New York, March 20, 1915; the Spring Show of The Pennsylvania Horticultural Society, March 23, 1915, and The American Sweet Pea Society, San Francisco, June 9, 1916, when exhibited as Fordhook Countess. Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. \$1.25; ¼ lb. \$3.75; lb. \$12.50, postpaid.

**3351 ENCHANTRESS (Burpee's)**  
(See color illustration, page 119.) A bright rose-pink, becoming deeper toward the edges of standard and wings, gradually softening in tone toward the center of the flower. Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. \$1.25; ¼ lb. \$3.75; lb. \$12.50, postpaid.

**3350 EMPRESS (Burpee's)**  
A most distinct and glorious shade of bright deep rose-pink. The immense flowers are freely produced in threes and fours on very long strong stems. Not quite fixed—a few deeper and also light pink rogues may be expected. Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. \$1.25; ¼ lb. \$3.75; lb. \$12.50, postpaid.

**3378 LUSTRE (Burpee's)**  
A pleasing shade of deep rose-pink with a lustrous, copper-like sheen overlying or suffusing the standard. Flowers of great size and freely produced in fours. A magnificent variety for bunching. Not quite fixed—a few deeper and also light pink rogues may be expected. Pkt. 15 cts.; ½ oz. \$1.00; oz. \$1.85; ¼ lb. \$5.50, postpaid.

All of Burpee's Winter-flowering Spencer Sweet Pea seed is grown at Floradale Farms, the California Home of Flowers. This section produces the best Sweet Pea seed in the world.

# Burpee's Early- or Winter-Flowering Spencers—Continued

## Salmon Pink

### 3364 GIPSY MAID (Burpee's)

Color light bright rose-pink, suffused salmon. The deep lemon keel tends to soften and lighten up the flower. The flowers are of great size, usually borne in fours. Pkt. 20 cts.; ½ oz. \$1.65; oz. \$3.00; ¼ lb. \$9.00, postpaid.

### 3363 EARLY GEM (Burpee Novelty for 1920)

A magnificent novelty and a great advance in cream-pinks. The color is rich rose-pink on cream ground, the entire flower being softly suffused amber with just a suspicion of orange. The flowers are perfectly placed and of exquisite form. It should become a leader in this color. Pkt. 25 cts.

## Rose and Carmine

### 3387 ROSEBUD (Burpee's)

The flowers are of immense size and freely produced in threes and fours. Color bright shining rose with a suspicion of bronzy suffusion throughout the standard. Pkt. 20 cts.; ½ oz. \$1.65; oz. \$3.00; ¼ lb. \$9.00, postpaid.

### 3362 FORDHOOK ROSE, IMPROVED (Burpee's)

A charming shade of rosy carmine. The flowers are of largest size and usually borne in threes and fours on long stiff stems. Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. \$1.50; ¼ lb. \$4.50; lb. \$15.00, postpaid.

### 3393 SPLENDOR (Burpee's)

(See color illustration on page 119.) A magnificent new deep rose self. The rich rose-crimson color is accentuated by the distinct white blotch at the base of standard and wings. The flowers are of great size, usually borne in fours on very long stems. Similar in color to the summer-flowering Rosabelle. Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. \$1.50; ¼ lb. \$4.50; lb. \$15.00, postpaid.

## Salmon

### 3334 APRICOT (Burpee Novelty for 1920)

A distinctly new color in the early-flowering section. Rich glowing deep salmon self, suffused with orange. Grown under glass the color is particularly rich, while under artificial light it is truly magnificent. Although the flowers are not of largest size, this is more than compensated for in the unique coloring. Pkt. 25 cts.

## Orange

### 3381 ORANGE BEAUTY (Burpee's)

Similar in color to Helen Lewis, therefore a glowing orange-scarlet with softer colored wings. Extremely free and early blooming, valuable alike for culture under glass or in the open, as it withstands the sun and weather well. Pkt. 20 cts.; ½ oz. \$1.65; oz. \$3.00, postpaid.

### 3349 DAZZLER (Burpee Novelty for 1920)

(See color illustration on back cover.) Flowers of good size and form, usually borne in threes or fours. Standard rich orange, wings rosy-salmon tinted and suffused orange. This fine novelty has been greatly admired in our trials both under glass and when grown in the open. Under artificial light the color is a rich glowing orange-scarlet. Pkt. 25 cts.

## Cerise

### 3370 GORGEOUS (Burpee Novelty for 1920)

A charming soft salmon-rose or pale salmon-cerise self. Similar in color to the popular Edith Taylor. A unique and pleasing color, and always admired. The flowers are of great size, and generally borne in threes and fours on very stout long stems. When known, this will be one of the most popular varieties in this section. Pkt. 25 cts.

### 3344 CHERRY RIPE (Burpee's)

A particularly bright and taking color and quite new in this section. It might be described as a glowing cherry or salmon-cerise self. Awarded Certificate of Merit at the International Spring Show, New York, March 20, 1918. Pkt. 20 cts.; ½ oz. \$1.65; oz. \$3.00; ¼ lb. \$9.00, postpaid.

### 3373 ILLUMINATION (Burpee Novelty for 1920)

This striking novelty may be briefly described as a winter-flowering Illuminator, but grown under glass the color is more pronounced, while under artificial light it is particularly striking. The flowers are of great size, color glowing salmon cerise, with a suspicion of orange suffusion, vigorous and strong in habit, the flowers are usually borne in threes and fours. This gem will be in great demand by both commercial and private growers. Pkt. 25 cts.

### 3359 FIRE KING (Burpee Novelty for 1920)

This is an early- or winter-flowering Fiery Cross. Color a scorching fire-red or cerise-scarlet, or it may be described as a deep orange-scarlet. It is outstanding in every way, a flower which always attracts. In bright sunlight it has a glory all its own, while under glass the color is greatly intensified. No commercial grower can afford to overlook Fire King, and it is equally desirable to amateur growers in our Southern States. Pkt. 25 cts.

## Crimson and Scarlet

### 3388 ROSY MORN (Burpee's)

Flowers grown under ordinary field culture have measured fully two inches in diameter. The color is a pleasing shade of rose with crimson-scarlet standard. The flowers are usually borne in threes or fours on stiff, long stems. Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. \$1.00; ¼ lb. \$3.00; lb. \$10.00, postpaid.

### 3374 EARLY KING (Burpee's)

The finest early-flowering crimson. The flowers are of great size, perfect form, averaging fully two inches in diameter. Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. \$1.00; ¼ lb. \$3.00; lb. \$10.00, postpaid.

## Lavender and Light Blue

### 3399 ZEPHYR (Burpee's)

This is a delightful shade of pale blue or lavender. It might be briefly described as a silvery blue self. An extremely dainty and charming variety. Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. \$1.25; ¼ lb. \$3.75; lb. \$12.50, postpaid.

### 3385 PRINCESS (Burpee's)

A vigorous grower, and most floriferous, the large flowers being freely produced in fours on long, stout stems. Color, a lovely shade of soft lavender suffused mauve—a color in great demand. The flowers are most attractively fluted or waved. Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. \$1.10; ¼ lb. \$3.30; lb. \$11.00, postpaid.

### 3375 LAVENDER KING (Burpee's)

A first-class lavender has been much wanted in this type, therefore we have great pleasure in offering the new Lavender King. This glorious new variety is a rich, true, deep lavender throughout. Similar in color to the summer-flowering variety, Burpee's Orchid. The flowers are of large size, beautifully waved form, and borne in threes and fours on stems of great length. Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. \$1.10; ¼ lb. \$3.30; lb. \$11.00, postpaid.

## Blue

### 3396 TRUE BLUE (Burpee Novelty for 1920)

As the name implies, this lovely novelty is a charming shade of true blue, or light grayish violet-blue, a color much wanted in this type. Flowers of great size, much waved or crimped, strong and vigorous in growth and most floriferous. Awarded Certificate of Merit at the great International Show, New York, March 20, 1918. Pkt. 25 cts.

### 3338 BLUE-BIRD (Burpee's)

(See color illustration, page 119.) This is a charming shade of blue. Somewhat similar to Wedgwood, but more of a true self, especially as the flower ages. Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. \$1.25; ¼ lb. \$3.75; lb. \$12.50, postpaid.

### 3340 BLUE JACKET (Burpee's)

This novelty will certainly become popular with all Sweet Pea lovers who prefer the dark shades. It is a rich dark navy-blue self. Extremely free-flowering and usually produced in fours. Pkt. 20 cts.; ½ oz. \$1.40; oz. \$2.50; ¼ lb. \$7.50, postpaid.

# Burpee's Early- or Winter-Flowering Spencer Sweet Peas—Continued

## Mauve and Purple

### 3380 MAUVE BEAUTY (Burpee's)

Color, a pleasing shade of rosy-mauve. The flowers are of immense size, often measuring two and one-half inches in diameter, yet exquisitely waved and of best Spencer form. A strong, vigorous grower and very free flowering. Charming under artificial light. Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. \$1.00; ¼ lb. \$3.00; lb. \$10.00, postpaid.

### 3367 GLORIOUS (Burpee's)

This magnificent novelty may be briefly described as an early-flowering Royal Purple, the color being identical to the popular summer-flowering variety of that name. A charming shade of warm rosy-purple, while the flowers are of great size and invariably produced in threes and fours on very long stems. Pkt. 20 cts.; ½ oz. \$1.65; oz. \$3.00; ¼ lb. \$9.00, postpaid.

## Maroon

### 3377 MAROON PRINCE (Burpee Novelty for 1920)

This fine novelty will appeal to those having a preference for the darker and richer colors. The flowers are of great size, beautifully waved, and borne freely in threes and fours. Color a deep rich glowing reddish maroon. A strong grower and most profuse bloomer. Pkt. 25 cts.

## Pastel Pink

### 3356 FAIRY QUEEN (Burpee Novelty for 1920)

A most pleasing pastel or art shade, the color being bluish-pink, with pale salmon suffusion, having darker veinings of rose. A most vigorous and free-flowering variety, the flowers usually produced in threes or fours on long stout stems. Pkt. 25 cts.

## Picotee Edged

### 3346 DAININESS (Burpee's)

This has always been a favorite since it was first exhibited in 1915, when it was certificated. A strong grower, with flowers of largest size and usually produced in fours. Color pure white edged rose. Similar to Summer-flowering Dainty. Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. \$1.00; ¼ lb. \$3.00; lb. \$10.00, postpaid.

### 3352 EXQUISITE (Burpee's)

(See color illustration, page 119.) The ground color is a soft shade of primrose, the edge of the standard and wings being beautifully "picoteed" with deep rose-pink. Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. \$1.00; ¼ lb. \$3.00; lb. \$10.00, postpaid.

## Bicolor

### 3353 EARLY FAIRY (Burpee Novelty for 1920)

A flower of great size and exquisitely waved. Color rich cream, the standard suffused with pinkish apricot. The mass effect when bunched is charming, the color being so dainty and striking. A strong, vigorous grower and extremely free flowering. Pkt. 25 cts.

### 3358 FAVORITE (Burpee's)

A very free and strong growing variety. Color similar to the old Apple Blossom. Rosy-pink standard and blush wings. Excellent for bunching. Pkt. 15 cts.; ½ oz. \$1.40; oz. \$2.50; ¼ lb. \$7.50; lb. \$25.00, postpaid.

### 3361 FORDHOOK PINK AND WHITE (Burpee's)

This is similar to the old Blanche Ferry, one of the great favorites for greenhouse culture, having a bright, rosy-pink standard with creamy-white wings, lightly suffused rose. Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 75 cts.; ¼ lb. \$2.25; lb. \$7.50, postpaid.

### 3398 YARRAWA

The flowers average two and one-half inches in diameter; many are duplex or double. The color is a bright rose-pink with a clear, creamy base. Our stock of this popular Australian variety is absolutely true. Grown by us from seed procured direct from the introducer. Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 90 cts.; ¼ lb. \$2.70; lb. \$9.00, postpaid.

### 3379 MAJESTIC (Burpee's)

In this novelty we have a flower of great size, bold and outstanding. The standard is a pleasing shade of purplish-maroon, the wings rosy-purple. The immense flowers are invariably borne on long stiff stems in threes and fours. Pkt. 20 cts.; ½ oz. \$1.65; oz. \$3.00; ¼ lb. \$9.00, postpaid.

## Striped and Flaked

### 3345 COLUMBINE (Burpee Novelty for 1920)

Somewhat similar to the well-known America Spencer. Color white, the entire flower being striped and flaked rich rose. The flowers are large and of fine form and will be welcomed by those who have a preference for striped and showy colored flowers. Pkt. 25 cts.

### 3357 FANTASY (Burpee's)

Striped and marbled with rich rose-pink on a creamy-white ground. Exceedingly bright and makes a telling bunch when cut. Extremely free and a continuous bloomer, the flowers usually borne in threes and fours on long stems. Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. \$1.00; ¼ lb. \$3.00; lb. \$10.00, postpaid.

### 3372 HARLEQUIN (Burpee's Novelty for 1920)

Similar in every way to Senator Spencer, but early-flowering. Light heliotrope ground striped and flaked deep chocolate and carlet. A vigorous grower, the immense flowers are freely borne on long stems usually in threes and fours. Pkt. 25 cts.

## Mixed

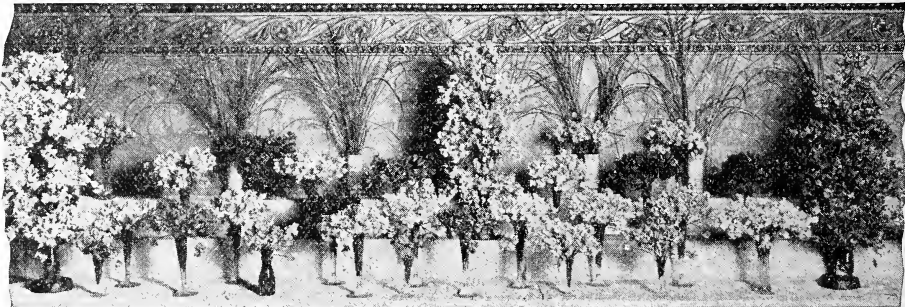
### 3400 SUNRISE MIXTURE

It is a carefully composed blend of the finest of the many named varieties of Early-flowering Spencers offered on pages 116 to 118, together with a number of new seedlings from our California workshop. As with all our blends, we have taken pains to determine the right proportion of the different colors to produce the most harmonious and pleasing effect. The seed has all been grown on our own Floradale Farm and is the best that it is possible to grow. Pkt. 10 cts.; ½ oz. 40 cts.; oz. 75 cts.; ¼ lb. \$2.25; lb. \$7.50, postpaid.

### 3401 EARLY-FLOWERING LIGHT SHADES IN SPECIAL MIXTURE

In contrast to our Sunrise Mixture this Special Mixture contains only light shades—such as white, cream, pink, salmon, lavender, etc., which some of our customers prefer. Pkt. 10 cts.; ½ oz. 50 cts.; oz. 90 cts.; ¼ lb. \$2.70; lb. \$9.00, postpaid.

The winter-flowering Spencer or Orchid Sweet Peas are particularly adapted to greenhouse culture for cut-flowers.



Part of the Gold Medal and Silver Cup Exhibit of W. Atlee Burpee Co., Philadelphia

IMPROVED  
SNOW  
STORM

DAYBREAK

BLUE  
BIRD

ENCHANTRESS

SPLENDOR

EXQUISITE



IMPROVED  
SHIRLEY  
POPPIES

FORDHOOK FAIRIES

## Poppies

The plants grow quickly and produce a wealth of gorgeous blossoms. Sow the seed thinly in drills or broadcast early in the spring where the plants are to stand. The small seeds should be barely covered from view.

### 2636 FORDHOOK FAIRY POPPIES

(See illustration on opposite page.) Perfectly globe-shaped flowers, measuring ten to thirteen inches in circumference. The blooms are made up of hundreds of elegantly fringed and twisted petals; pure white, glowing scarlet, light lilac, scarlet with white and black, rose, deep maroon, white delicately tipped pink, and others. Eighteen to twenty-four inches high. Pkt. 10 cts.; ¼ oz. 35 cts.

### 2634 BURPEE'S FAIRY BLUSH

This variety is illustrated on the opposite page. It is a parent of the Fordhook Fairy Poppies and resembles them in size and shape. The flowers are unusually large and the coloring simply exquisite. The finely fringed petals are clear white near the base and tinted with rosy cream on the tips. Grows eighteen to twenty-four inches high. Pkt. 10 cts.

### 2618 IMPROVED SHIRLEY

(See illustration on opposite page.) This improved strain of the well-known Shirley Poppies embraces new colorings and produces large flowers of unusual beauty. The various shades and color combinations surpass anything in clear brilliancy and beauty. Shades of delicate rose, pink, carmine, brilliant crimson, white, scarlet edged white, and many others are carefully blended in this strain. Grows fifteen inches high. Pkt. 10 cts.; ¼ oz. 20 cts.

### 2622 WHITE SHIRLEY

Pure white. The flowers range from single to semi-double. Fifteen inches high. Pkt. 10 cts.

### 2624 FIRE DRAGON (*Papaver lavigatum*)

Large single flowers of the most brilliant deep scarlet. Pkt. 10 cts.

### 2625 BURBANK'S SILVER LINING

Single flowers; rich scarlet spotted with black; each spot appears to be covered with a shield of white tissue-paper; altogether unique. Pkt. 10 cts.

### 2629 TULIP POPPY

Glowing scarlet flowers, the color of the well-known *Duc Von Thol* Tulip. Twelve inches high. Pkt. 10 cts.

### 2633 DANISH FLAG

Most striking rich scarlet flowers, with a white spot at the base of each petal, forming a white cross on red ground. Pkt. 10 cts.

### 2627 SOMNIFERUM (*Opium Poppy*)

True; gigantic white single flowers.

Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 15 cts.

### 2632 CARDINAL

Enormous double cardinal-scarlet flowers. Pkt. 10 cts.

### 2638 THE MIKADO

Large double flowers of pure white and brilliant crimson-scarlet. Pkt. 10 cts.

### 2639 BURPEE'S "SHRIMP PINK"

Finely fringed double flowers of soft, rosy pink, with lighter shading at the ends of the petals. Pkt. 10 cts.

### 2640 SNOWDRIFT

Pure white flowers, round and double. Pkt. 10 cts.

### 2642 DOUBLE CARNATION-FLOWERED, MIXED

Of dazzling richness and variety of colors.

Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 25 cts.

### 2644 DOUBLE PÆONY-FLOWERED, MIXED

Large double flowers of all colors.

Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 25 cts.

## Antirrhinums or Snapdragons

Snapdragons are favorites in American gardens, and this is not to be wondered at when we consider the extended season during which they bloom, together with the exquisite beauty of their flowers and their great value for cutting. They are hardy, and if given protection during winter, will bloom the second season. They are easily raised from seed and should therefore be grown in every garden.

### Half-Dwarf Type (*A. majus nanum*)

The half-dwarf varieties grow about fifteen inches in height and produce magnificent spikes closely set with large flowers. Very fine for borders or for cutting.

### Hawlmarm Varieties

#### 1540 HAWLMARK WHITE

Pure white flowers, blooming profusely. Pkt. 10 cts.

#### 1542 HAWLMARK YELLOW

Light yellow with darker lip. Pkt. 10 cts.

#### 1536 HAWLMARK SALMON

Bright bronzy salmon with yellow lip. Pkt. 10 cts.

#### 1538 HAWLMARK SCARLET

Bright orange-red or scarlet. Pkt. 10 cts.

#### 1532 HAWLMARK BLACK

Deep maroon flowers of velvety texture. Pkt. 10 cts.

#### 1548 HAWLMARK, MIXED

A mixture of all the above solid colors. Pkt. 10 cts.

### Other Half-Dwarf Varieties

#### 1547 QUEEN OF THE NORTH

Large flowers of purest white. Pkt. 10 cts.

#### 1543 GOLDEN QUEEN

Fine lemon yellow, tipped with golden yellow on the lip. Pkt. 10 cts.

#### 1535 DAINTY QUEEN

Beautiful shades of salmon-buff. Pkt. 10 cts.

#### 1545 PRINCE CHAMOIS

Attractive golden chamois, shaded rose. Pkt. 10 cts.

#### 1550 COTTAGE MAID

Flowers salmon-rose with yellow lip. Tube creamy white. Pkt. 10 cts.

#### 1539 DAPHNE

Rich pink flowers with white tube. Pkt. 10 cts.

#### 1533 BRILLIANT ROSE

Bright rose flowers. Very effective. Pkt. 10 cts.

#### 1554 SPARKLER

Cherry-rose marked with white. Pkt. 10 cts.

#### 1537 DEFIANCE

Glowing vermillion with an orange cast. Pkt. 10 cts.

#### 1553 FIREBRAND

Rich, deep scarlet of largest size. Pkt. 10 cts.

#### 1551 MAUVE BEAUTY

An attractive shade of soft mauve. Pkt. 10 cts.

#### 1549 FANCY MIXED

A complete mixture, including all colors of the Half-Dwarf type. Pkt. 10 cts.; ¼ oz. 60 cts.; oz. \$2.00.

### Tall Type (*A. majus*)

The tall varieties grow three to four feet high, and are used extensively for cut-flowers. The long stems are closely set with large flowers and keep well in water.

#### 1565 QUEEN VICTORIA

Pure white with a faint yellow lip. Pkt. 10 cts.

#### 1556 GIANT YELLOW

A magnificent clear and rich yellow. Pkt. 10 cts.

#### 1564 SILVER PINK

A much-admired shade of delicate pink. Pkt. 10 cts.

#### 1563 VENUS

Fine rose-pink on white ground. Pkt. 10 cts.

#### 1560 BRILLIANT

Scarlet, gold, and white flowers of largest size.

Pkt. 10 cts.

#### 1562 FIRE KING

Spikes of scarlet and orange, like tongues of flame.

Pkt. 10 cts.

#### 1555 GIANT SCARLET

Deep, glowing scarlet flowers of large size. Pkt. 10 cts.

#### 1558 TALL MIXED

Contains all the above and many other beautiful shades of the tall type.

Pkt. 10 cts.; ¼ oz. 40 cts.

### Dwarf Type (*A. nanum*)

Small and compact bushes, eight to ten inches high, unsurpassed for borders.

#### 1557 DWARF MIXED

A wide range of colors. Pkt. 10 cts.; ¼ oz. 50 cts.



## Cosmos, Lady Lenox



## Cosmos

Of bushy growth, fully five feet high, covered with hundreds of showy flowers from September until frost.

### 1932 LADY LENOX

The lovely shell-pink flowers measure three and a half to four and a half inches across. Height, six feet. Pkt. 10 cts.

### 1933 WHITE LADY LENOX

A clear waxy white form of the above. Pkt. 10 cts.

### LARGE EARLY-FLOWERING

This new strain is very early and the flowers are *twice as large* as any early-flowering strain of Cosmos previously known.

### 1937 CRIMSON

### 1941 WHITE

### 1939 ROSE

### 1942 THE THREE COLORS MIXED

The above: 10 cts. per packet.

### LATE GIANT FLOWERING

Flowers of immense size ten days to two weeks later than the above.

### 1943 GIANT PINK. Light pink flowers of giant size. Pkt. 10 cts.

### 1945 GIANT WHITE. Magnificent large white flowers. Pkt. 10 cts.

### 1947 FINEST MIXED. All "giant-flowered." Pkt. 10 cts.

### 1929 BURPEE'S CRIMSON-RAY

The petals, greatly increased in number, are narrow and fluted, star-like, and of brilliant crimson color. Pkt. 10 cts.

### 1931 BURPEE'S WHITE-RAY

Similar to above, but with pure white flowers. Pkt. 10 cts.

**New Double Cosmos** Our new strain of double Cosmos surpasses any other we have seen. It comes seventy-five per cent true. The plants grow vigorously and attain a height of five feet. Covered from September on with large double flowers.

### 1946 DOUBLE CRIMSON KING. Rich crimson. Pkt. 15 cts.

### 1948 DOUBLE PINK BEAUTY. Beautiful pink flowers. Pkt. 15 cts.

### 1949 DOUBLE WHITE QUEEN. Pure white. Pkt. 15 cts.

## Annual Dianthus

**The Popular Chinese and Japanese Pinks.** Few flowers can equal these in beauty and profusion of bloom. The plants bloom freely all summer and fall until frost. Height, twelve inches.

### 1981 CHINENSIS, fl. pl. (Double Chinese Pinks)

Clusters of small double flowers of all colors, mostly edged with white. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 75 cts.

### 1989 HEDDEWIGGII, FINEST SINGLE, MIXED

Flowers are two to three inches in diameter, borne on long stems. Pkt. 5 cts.

### 1994 HEDDEWIGGII, fl. pl.

An unusually fine mixture of double flowers in great variety; extra choice. Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. \$1.00.

### 1996 HEDDEWIGGII MOURNING CLOAK

Large double; dark mahogany, almost black, edged white. Pkt. 10 cts.

### 2001 DWARF SNOWBALL

Fringed double flowers, snow-white. Plants eight inches high. Pkt. 10 cts.

### 1999 DWARF FIREBALL. Pkt. 10 cts.

### 2005 LARGE-FLOWERING DWARF DOUBLE HYBRIDS

Large double flowers of perfect form and all colors from pure white to deep crimson; mostly variegated in fantastic markings. Pkt. 10 cts.; ¼ oz. 50 cts.

### 2008 IMPERIALIS, fl. pl. (Double Imperial Pinks). Mixed. Pkt. 10 cts.

### 2011 LACINIATUS. Large, single, fringed; mixed. Pkt. 5 cts.

### 2015 LACINIATUS SALMON QUEEN. Pkt. 10 cts.

### 2016 LACINIATUS VESUVIUS

Bright, fiery-red color, fringed and lacinated. Pkt. 10 cts.

### 2021 LACINIATUS, fl. pl. Double, mixed. Pkt. 10 cts.

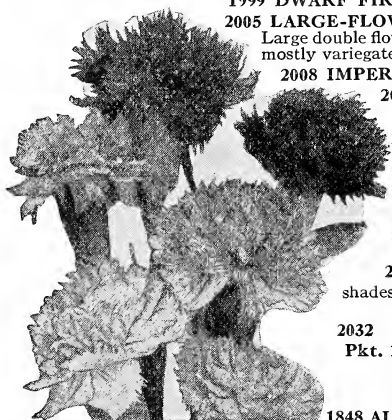
### 2014 Mirabilis (See illustration.) The fringed edges are feathery in effect. Flowers range from pure white to richest crimson, self-colored, blotched and ringed. Pkt. 10 cts.

### 2027 Nobilis, Royal Pinks Extremely bright colorings, coming chiefly in rich shades of red, carmine, and deep rose. Quite hardy. Pkt. 10 cts.

### 2032 Fordhook Favorites A complete mixture of the finest varieties of Annual Dianthus. Pkt. 10 cts.; ¼ oz. 50 cts.; oz. \$1.50.



Dianthus  
Mirabilis



Carnation—Marguerite

## Carnations—Marguerite

**1848 ALL COLORS MIXED.** From seed sown in the garden early in the spring the plants begin to bloom in about four months. They are quite hardy, flowering the first season until late in the fall, and will live out all winter if given protection. Pkt. 10 cts.; ¼ oz. 50 cts.

## Gypsophila (Baby's Breath)

A quick-growing annual with small flowers, borne in profusion. Much used for bunching with cut-flowers. The plants grow only ten to fifteen inches in height, and the rows can be planted quite closely together.

### 2092 ELEGANS

White and rose, mixed. Pkt. 5 cts.

### 2094 COVENT GARDEN

Sprays of white flowers. Pkt. 10 cts.

## Zinnia—Giant Mammoth

### 2822 GIANT GOLDEN-YELLOW

A lovely shade of brightest yellow. Flowers four inches in diameter and perfectly double. Pkt. 15 cts.

### 2824 GIANT PRIMROSE

Light lemon yellow, gradually deepening in tone toward the center. Of true Giant size. Pkt. 15 cts.

### 2825 GIANT SCARLET

Is a rich shade of orange-scarlet. Pkt. 15 cts.

### 2827 GIANT WHITE

A magnificent pure white of largest size. Pkt. 15 cts.

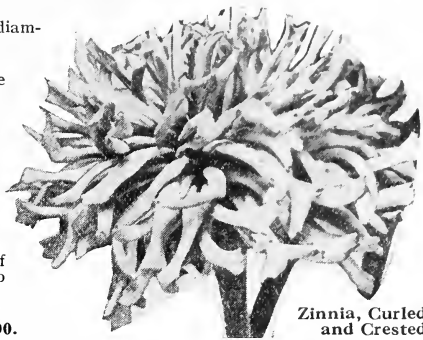
### 2829 GIANT PURPLE

A striking shade. Pkt. 15 cts.

**Burpee's Mammoth Zinnias** Our strain of this magnificent large-flowered type is unsurpassed. The blooms are of immense size when well grown, averaging three and one-half to four and one-half inches in diameter and often three to four inches in depth.

### 2813 FINEST MIXED MAMMOTH

Grown at FORDHOOK. Pkt. 10 cts.; ¼ oz. 30 cts.; oz. \$1.00.



Zinnia, Curled and Crested

**Dwarf Zinnias** Make an attractive border, blooming all summer and fall until cut down by frost.

### 2811 DOUBLE LILLIPUT

Compact bushes, bearing small, perfectly double, pompon-shaped flowers of the brightest colors. Pkt. 10 cts.

### 2815 POMPON

The petals form a symmetric smooth cone. Colors range from pure white to the deepest crimson. Pkt. 10 cts.

### 2817 DWARF FIREBALL (Zinnia pumila coccinea plena)

Double flowers of a fiery scarlet. Pkt. 10 cts.

### 2819 DWARF SNOWBALL

Double, dahlia-like flowers, of the purest snow-white. Pkt. 10 cts.

### 2826 DOUBLE DWARF ZINNIA MEXICANA, PERFECTION MINIATURE

The plants average nine inches in height and two feet in diameter, the whole becoming a complete mass of flowers, nearly all of which are perfectly double, one and one-quarter inches in diameter. They embrace a wide range of color, which runs from cream-white to yellow, and deep orange, each petal being beautifully marked with chocolate and crimson blotches toward the center of the flower; other colors are reddish-brown, chocolate, and crimson, these being tipped or edged with cream, yellow, or orange markings. Pkt. 10 cts.

**2820 Burpee's Fordhook Strain of Curled and Crested Zinnias** For many years we have been selecting and reselecting this distinct and interesting type. Our FORDHOOK STRAIN comes almost entirely true from seed. The petals are long, elegantly twisted and curled, giving the flower a most attractive, crested-like appearance, somewhat resembling a fine-petaled Cactus Dahlia in shape. The plants grow eighteen inches high by two to two and one-half feet in diameter and bloom freely until killed by hard frost. The colors range from white through many shades of yellow, rose-pink, and salmon to deepest crimson. Pkt. 15 cts.; ¼ oz. 30 cts.; oz. \$1.00.

## Scabiosa, or Mourning Bride

Quite hardy plants, flowering freely in cool locations during late summer and fall months. The flowers are borne on tall, slender, but quite stiff stems, nearly two feet high, and are of fine, rounded, full-centered form, composed of small tubular petals from which project the small pistils, giving them a feathery effect.

### 2699 DWARF DOUBLE, MIXED

Of compact habit. Fine for borders. Pkt. 5 cts.

### 2701 AZURE-FAIRY

This magnificent new Scabiosa bears an abundance of perfectly double, long-stemmed flowers that come uniformly of a lovely sky-blue color. Pkt. 10 cts.

### 2702 AZURE-FAIRY SEEDLINGS, MIXED

Various shades of lavender and blue.

Pkt. 10 cts.

### 2703 DOUBLE BLACK

Deep black-purple flowers with white pistils. Pkt. 10 cts.

### 2705 SNOWBALL

Double white flowers. Pkt. 10 cts.

### 2707 LARGE-FLOWERED DOUBLE, MIXED

The colors range from white

to rich pink, crimson

to deep red, lilac to

almost black. Pkt.

5 cts.; ½ oz. 35 cts.

## Gaillardia—"Blanket Flower"

Very showy, free-flowering plants of easiest culture, which succeed well even in dry and poor soil. They come into bloom quite early and continue until cut down by heavy frosts. For the hardy Gaillardia, see Perennial section of this catalog.

### 2084 FINE MIXED

A wide range of colors in both double- and single-flowered varieties.

Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 75 cts.

### 2086 DOUBLE GAILLARDIA (Picta Lorenziana)

One of the prettiest and best early-flowering annuals. The heads are of rounded form, composed of many individual florets. These are variously and brightly colored in shades of brown, bronze, and deep maroon, brightly tipped with contrasting shades of yellow and creamy white. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 85 cts.

## Calliopsis

Half-hardy annuals of quick growth and bearing a profusion of bright-colored flowers. If flowers are cut with a part of the foliage, they make a very attractive table decoration.

### 1807 CORONATA

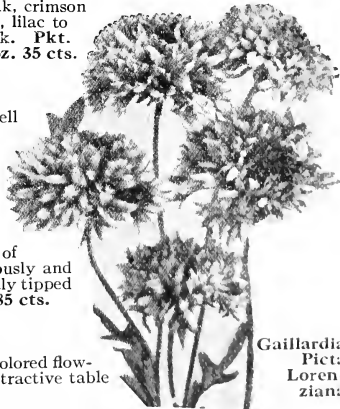
Rich yellow flowers of large size with a central crown of maroon. Fifteen inches. Pkt. 10 cts.; ½ oz. 30 cts.

### 1809 DRUMMONDII

Bright golden flowers marked with dark-brown center. Blooms all summer and fall and produces its flowers on long stems, making it a valuable cut-flower. Pkt. 5 cts.; ½ oz. 20 cts.

### 1813 MIXED

Contains, besides the above, a large number of other large- and small-flowered varieties, ranging in color from golden yellow to orange, bronze, and brown. Many are attractively striped and spotted. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 35 cts.



Gaillardia  
Picta  
Lorenziana

## Annual Larkspur



Larkspur—Dwarf Rocket

Quick-growing, free-flowering annuals, producing stiffly erect spikes of beautiful flowers in profusion. They are strictly annuals, being distinct from the *Delphinium*, or Hardy Larkspur, in this respect. Seed should be sown thinly in shallow drills early in spring when the trees are starting out in leaf. When young plants are well started, thin out or transplant to stand six to twelve inches apart.

**2211 NEW RED**  
The plants average eighteen inches in height, flower-spikes large and compact, color a pleasing rosy-red. Pkt. 10 cts.

**2122 DOUBLE DWARF ROCKET, MIXED**  
Quite dwarf. The branching spikes are thickly set with finely double flowers which come in many colors. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 40 cts.

**2124 TALL ROCKET, DOUBLE MIXED**  
The tall spikes are closely set with finely double flowers, embracing a varied assortment of colors. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 40 cts.

**2125 DOUBLE WHITE**  
The plants average thirty inches in height and become a perfect mass of pure, snow-white double flowers, each flower being one inch in diameter. Pkt. 10 cts.

**2123 DOUBLE ROSE**  
A lovely companion to *Double White*. Pkt. 10 cts.

**2127 DOUBLE SKY-BLUE**  
One of the finest. Beautiful sky-blue. Pkt. 10 cts.

**2126 EMPEROR, MIXED**  
Plants of strong growth, three to four feet in height. The flowers are quite double, and of many bright, soft shades. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 75 cts.

**2128 COMPACT BLUE**  
This is really a perennial variety and entirely hardy in open ground, but flowers freely the first season from seed. Plants average one foot in height and produce open, branching sprays of deep-blue flowers. Pkt. 10 cts.; 1/4 oz. 50 cts.

## Gladioli

For bulbs see pages 158-159

### 2090 Burpee's Fordhook Hybrids

Planted early in good soil, many of the plants flower freely the first year from seed! This distinct strain originated at FORDHOOK. The flowers frequently measure four to five inches in diameter, and range in color from creamy white, lemon, clear yellow, soft salmon-pink, to bright red and deep crimson, while there are also lovely light lavender or sky-blue shades. Practically every color is found in these NEW FORDHOOK HYBRIDS. The bulbs, even the smallest, should be taken up in the fall and stored in a cool, frost-proof room protected against mice. Planted out the next year, early in May, they will make a quick growth, and will produce long and strong spikes, closely set with beautiful large flowers. Pkt. 10 cts.; 1/4 oz. 50 cts.; oz. \$1.75.

## Cannas ("Indian Shot")

Very showy plants, having large tropical foliage surmounted by spikes of bloom in glowing colors. Fine plants can easily be raised from seed.

**1841 MIXED**  
Including both tall and dwarf. Pkt. 15 cts.; oz. 50 cts.  
**1845 CROZY'S LARGE-FLOWERING DWARF**  
Best new varieties. Pkt. 20 cts.; oz. 75 cts.

## Mignonette (*Reseda odorata*)

One of the most delicately scented of all flowers. The plants grow rapidly from seed sown in the open ground early in spring. Mignonette should be sown in light, sandy soil, since the fragrance of flowers grown in heavy soil suffers to a marked degree. The long blossom spikes are produced abundantly during the cool, moist weather of early spring and late fall. Mignonette can be had in flower almost any time of the year. For winter blooming sow the seed in pots or the open border during July, where the plants receive plenty of light and air. Reset four to six plants in a five-inch pot during September and place in a cool room. They will begin blooming in November, and with proper care remain in flower until the following March.

**2211 ALLAN'S DEFIANCE**  
Long spikes closely set with florets of largest size. Pkt. 10 cts.; 1/4 oz. 25 cts.; oz. 80 cts.

**2212 GIANT BOUQUET**  
Fine for cutting. Large spikes, very fragrant. Pkt. 10 cts.; 1/4 oz. 25 cts.; oz. 80 cts.

**2213 GIANT-FLOWERING MACHET**  
Large florets of a gray color. A greatly improved *Machet*. Pkt. 10 cts.

**2217 GOLDEN SUNSET**  
A magnificent golden yellow; very sweet-scented. Pkt. 10 cts.; 1/4 oz. 25 cts.; oz. 80 cts.

**2218 Goliath**  
The plants are of robust growth in candelabra-like form. The broad, massive spikes are closely set with large, coppery-red florets. Pkt. 10 cts.; 1/4 oz. 25 cts.; oz. 80 cts.

**2220 PURE MACHET**  
Broad heavy spikes of deliciously scented gray flowers. Pkt. 10 cts.; 1/4 oz. 25 cts.; oz. 80 cts.

**2226 Pearl or White Goliath**  
This is the best *White Mignonette*. Very large, sweet-scented trusses. Pkt. 20 cts.

**2232 Fordhook Finest, Mixed**  
We have made a selection of the finest types, which we offer in this special mixture. Pkt. 10 cts.; 1/4 oz. 20 cts.; oz. 70 cts.

## Dahlias—from Seed

Dahlias can be grown easily from seed, and many plants flower beautifully the first season.

**1952 DECORATIVE, MIXED**  
Pkt. 10 cts.; 1/4 oz. \$1.00.

**1953 CHOICE LARGE-FLOWERING DOUBLE**  
Pkt. 10 cts.; 1/4 oz. 75 cts.

**1956 CHOICE POMPON, MIXED**  
Pkt. 10 cts.; 1/4 oz. 75 cts.

**1964 DOUBLE CACTUS, MIXED**  
Pkt. 10 cts.; 1/4 oz. \$1.00.

**1965 PÆONY-FLOWERED, MIXED**  
The flowers are generally semi-double and the petals twisted and curled in a most pleasing manner. All imaginable colors except blue. Pkt. 10 cts.; 1/4 oz. 75 cts.

**1966 COLLARETTE, MIXED**  
The blooms are similar to the single Dahlia, but each flower has a row or collar of fluted florets surrounding the yellow stamens in the center, hence the name—COLLARETTE. Pkt. 10 cts.; 1/4 oz. 75 cts.

**1967 PURPURI**  
A charming single-flowered variety, with distinct dark-green foliage and rich, glowing scarlet flowers. Pkt. 10 cts.; 1/4 oz. 75 cts.

**1968 SUPERB SINGLE, MIXED**  
Easily raised from seed. Pkt. 10 cts.; 1/4 oz. 50 cts.

**1970 STRIPED SINGLE, MIXED**  
Large, beautifully striped. Pkt. 10 cts.; 1/4 oz. 50 cts.

## Tritoma

**3893 EARLY PERPETUAL FLOWERING HYBRID**  
This is an entirely new strain of the popular FOKER PLANT. If seed is started in heat during February or March, the plants will flower freely the first year from seed. With a mulch of leaves or rough litter during winter they are perfectly hardy and begin blooming in May the second season, continuing to flower freely until frost. Two- or three-year-old plants frequently bear eighteen to twenty-five fully expanded spikes at one time, and if these are cut as they fade, new spikes will quickly take their place. Height, three feet. Pkt. 20 cts.; 1/2 oz. \$1.00.

**W. Atlee Burpee Co.**  
Seed Growers Philadelphia

## Centaurea

The plants grow three feet in height, with numerous large flowers borne on long stems, blooming profusely all summer long.

**1869 IMPERIALIS, PURE WHITE.** Pkt. 10 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 30 cts.

**1871 IMPERIALIS, DARK PURPLE.** Pkt. 10 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 30 cts.

**1876 IMPERIALIS, FINEST MIXED**

This mixture is unsurpassed. Planted in masses it makes an unusually pretty bed. The large flowers, ranging in delicate shades from white, through lilac, rose-pink to purple. The individual flowers are also beautifully shaded, with finely fringed petals, giving a soft, airy effect. They are carried gracefully on long stems and make a very pretty cut-flower. Pkt. 5 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 25 cts.

**1878 AMERICANA**

Of all Centaureas, this is by far the largest flowering and most showy variety. It is strictly an annual, and makes a magnificent plant three feet high. The flowers measure four inches across and have a unique, thistle-like appearance. The delicate texture, beautiful light lilac color, and quaint form are a rare combination of beauty. Pkt. 10 cts.

## Foliage Varieties of Centaurea

(Dusty Millers)

These make an excellent border of distinction. The silvery white foliage looks very well throughout the season. The foliage grows six to twelve inches high. If protected, the plants will live several years.

**1889 CANDIDISSIMA**

Thick, silvery-white leaves—for bedding. Pkt. 10 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 75 cts.

**1891 GYMNOCARPA**

Finely cut leaves of a silvery-white color. Pkt. 10 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 75 cts.

## Cornflower (Centaurea Cyanus)

The *Blue Bottle*, or *Bachelor's Button*, is one of the most attractive of all hardy annuals, due to the graceful beauty of its old-fashioned flowers.

**1882 BLUE.** Of a rich, deep blue color. Pkt. 5 cts.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 35 cts.

**1884 CYANUS, MIXED**

Including dark and light blue, pink, rose, white, and other fine shades. Pkt. 5 cts.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 30 cts.

## Double Cornflower

Dainty double flowers of the Cyanus type. They are profuse bloomers and extremely attractive.

**1886 DOUBLE ROSE PINK.** Pkt. 10 cts.

**1887 DOUBLE BLUE.** Pkt. 10 cts.

**1885 DOUBLE, MIXED COLORS.** Pkt. 5 cts.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 35 cts.

**1888 MARGUERITE.** Fragrant, pure white. Pkt. 10 cts.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. \$1.00.

## Sweet Sultan

Stiffly erect plants, slightly resembling the thistle in growth, with very double, rich yellow, pure white, and mauve flowers. The small petals are finely fringed and the flowers have a delightful fragrance. Of easiest culture, blooming profusely, gracefully carried on long stems.

**2752 YELLOW (Centaurea Suaveolens)**

The beautiful yellow flowers are agreeably sweet scented. Pkt. 10 cts.

**2754 FINEST MIXED**

A mixture of rich yellow, pure white, and mauve flowers. Pkt. 5 cts.

## Annual Chrysanthemums

"French Marguerites," or "Painted Daisy"

These Annual Chrysanthemums are altogether different from the large-flowered late varieties grown by florists. They grow easily from seed and flower freely during summer and fall months. They succeed best in cool, moist locations and make excellent pot-plants during the spring months. The foliage is a rich, dark green, finely cut and quite ornamental. The plants grow twelve to eighteen inches high, branching freely, and produce on long stems large, single, daisy-like flowers of many bright colorings. Sow seed thinly in shallow drills early in spring. When well started, thin out or transplant to stand twelve inches or more apart each way.

**1896 FINEST MIXED**

This embraces seed of all the single "Painted Daisies."

Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 35 cts.

**1903 CORONARIUM, DOUBLE, MIXED**

Compact, bushy growth, eighteen inches in height. Flowers quite double, shading from white to orange. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 35 cts.

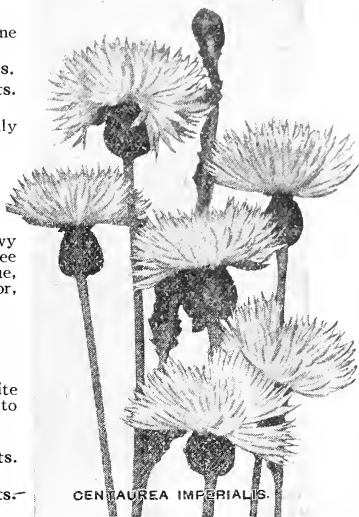
For perennial varieties of Chrysanthemums, see page 151.

## Feverfew

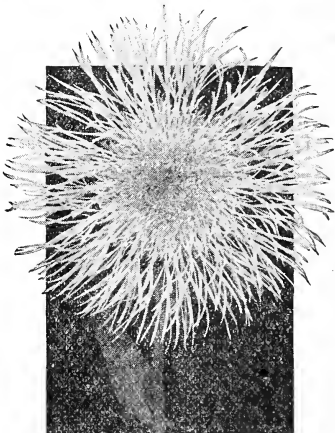
**2064 DOUBLE (Matricaria Eximia, fl. pl.)**

The plant is surmounted by numerous tall, freely branching flower-stems, which attain a height of eighteen inches and are literally covered with small, double, pure white flowers. Well adapted for borders.

Pkt. 5 cts.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 30 cts.



CENTAUREA IMPERIALIS



Centaurea Americana



Annual  
Chrysanthemums

# ASTERS

## Queen of the Market

Plants of open, spreading habit, producing quite large flowers very early in the season, being in full bloom two weeks before those of *Crego's Giant* and taller growing types. Since we have been producing the seed in America, this type has been greatly improved as to doubleness of the flowers. They are now very popular with florists for early cutting. Height, eighteen inches.

### 1680 CRIMSON

Large size, double flowers of a brilliant crimson. Pkt. 10 cts.

### 1681 LAVENDER

Flowers of a clear lavender shade throughout; beautiful for bunching. Pkt. 10 cts.

### 1682 SHELL PINK

Beautiful shell pink, of good size and substance. Pkt. 10 cts.

### 1683 ROSE PINK

An attractive shade of rich pink. Pkt. 10 cts.

### 1684 PURPLE

Rich dark purple; flowers of large size and fully double. Pkt. 10 cts.

### 1686 DARK BLUE

Clear dark blue; very attractive alone or in mixed bouquets. Pkt. 10 cts.

### 1687 WHITE

Large double white. The earliest really good white cutting Aster in existence. Pkt. 10 cts.

### 1688 LIGHT BLUE

Light sky or azure

### Aster—Queen of the Market

blue. A delicate shade of great beauty. Pkt. 10 cts.

### 1689 MIXED

Contains all the colors offered, together with several others. Pkt. 5 cts.; ¼ oz. 45 cts.; oz. \$1.50.

## Early-Flowering Royal Asters

This new strain of early-flowering branching Asters is very useful, as it fills in the season between the earliest *Queen of the Market* and the later *Semple's Branching*. The magnificently shaped double flowers are very large, with broad petals, slightly incurving; they are borne abundantly and always on extra-long, strong stems. The plants average two feet in height, branching freely.

### 1636 ROYAL LAVENDER

### 1637 ROYAL PINK

### 1638 ROYAL PURPLE

### 1639 ROYAL WHITE

### 1640 ROYAL CRIMSON

### 1641 ROYAL ROSE

The above: 10 cts. per packet.

### 1642 "ROYAL" ASTERS, MIXED

All the above mixed. Pkt. 10 cts.; ½ oz. \$1.35.



Royal  
Lavender  
Aster

## Imperial Asters

A distinct American class; plants are stiffly erect in habit of growth, and attain a height of eighteen to twenty inches. The flowers are ball-like in form, with incurved petals, and are about two and one-half inches in diameter. IMPERIAL or DAYBREAK ASTERS bloom during August and are excellent for beds or cutting.

### 1591 BLUEBIRD

Of a beautiful azure-blue color. Very attractive. Pkt. 10 cts.

### 1593 LAVENDER

Flowers of a most beautiful shade of light lavender. Pkt. 10 cts.

### 1597 DAYBREAK

Silvery petals suffused with pink. Unequaled in daintiness. Pkt. 10 cts.

### 1599 PURITY, OR "WHITE DAYBREAK"

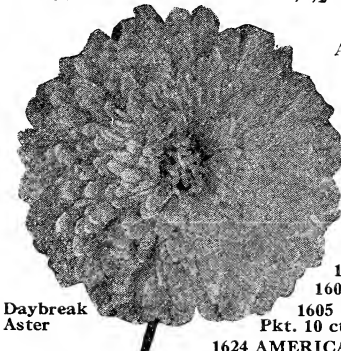
Snowy white. Of unusually large size. Pkt. 10 cts.

### 1601 ROSE. A rich rose shade. Pkt. 10 cts.

### 1603 SALMON. A most desirable light orange-salmon. Pkt. 10 cts.

1605 MIXED. All the above colors in a properly blended mixture. Pkt. 10 cts.; ¼ oz. \$1.00; oz. \$3.50.

1624 AMERICA. In habit of growth the same as the well-known *Daybreak*, described above; the flowers, while of the same color, are larger and bloom a week later. Pkt. 10 cts.; ¼ oz. \$1.00.



Daybreak  
Aster

# ASTERS

## King Type

A distinct type of recent development. The flowers are of large size and good substance, with long, narrow petals which fold so much as to make them appear quilled. In season they follow the Royal Asters and reach their prime just before the American Late-Branching Asters commence to bloom. The plants are about two feet high and very erect. The flowers are borne on long stiff stems.

**1615 CRIMSON KING.** Bright, clear crimson.

**1615a LAVENDER KING.** A true lavender.

**1616 PINK KING.** Rich, clear pink.

**1617 ROSE KING.** A fine shade of rose.

**1618 WHITE KING.** Pure white.

**1619 VIOLET KING.** Beautiful deep violet.

**1621 KING ASTERS, MIXED**

The above: Pkt. 10 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. \$1.00; oz. \$3.50.

## Victoria Asters

Flowers very large, double, and beautifully reflexed. Good for bedding and cutting.

**1706 TWENTY COLORS MIXED**

Pkt. 10 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 45 cts.; oz. \$1.50.

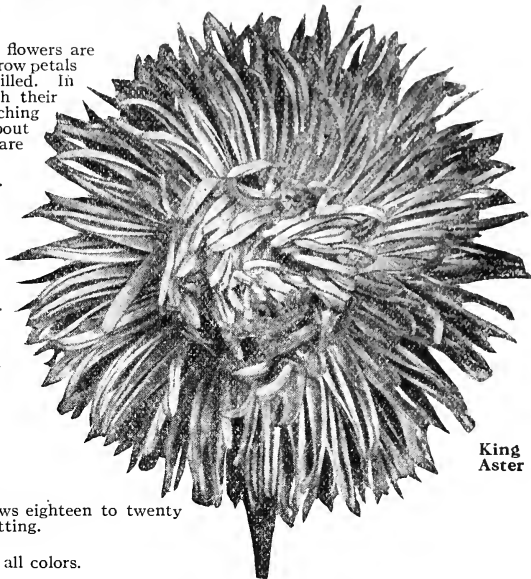
## Truffaut's Pæony-Flowered Perfection

A midseason variety of European origin. Grows eighteen to twenty inches high and is excellent for bedding and cutting.

**1698 THIRTY COLORS MIXED**

European Asters grown in America, containing all colors.

Pkt. 10 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 45 cts.; oz. \$1.50.



King Aster

## Giant Comet Asters

Plants of branching habit, 12 inches high, with large, ostrich-feather-like flowers composed of loose petals. Fully double.

**1665 "BRANCHING WHITE" COMET**

Large flowers of the purest white, very desirable for cut-flowers. Pkt. 10 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 50 cts.; oz. \$1.75.

**1667 GIANT COMET, MIXED**

Fully equals in feathery form and fine coloring the regular strain of Comet Asters, but the plants are of stronger growth and also produce larger flowers. Excellent for bedding or cutting. Pkt. 10 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 45 cts.; oz. \$1.50.

## Improved American Asters

The varieties below are all of American origin, and are the "cream" of the many distinct sorts originated in America. The lover of Asters should have every one of these in his collection. They represent the highest development in Asters. Carefully grown from selected seed.

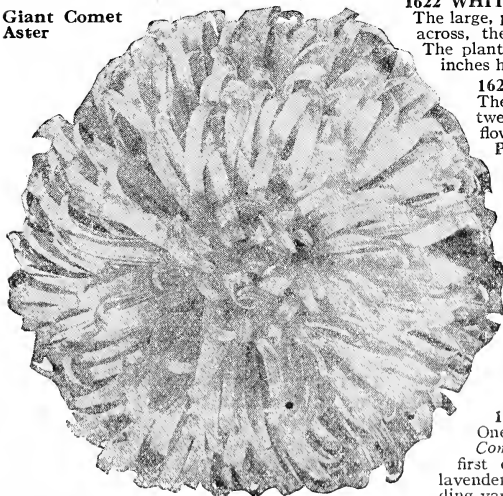
**1590 CRIMSON GIANT**

The plant is vigorous, of upright, branching growth, with strong stems eighteen inches long, carrying fine double bright-crimson flowers four inches in diameter. Grows twenty-four inches high. Pkt. 10 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 75 cts.

**1620 ROCHESTER, OR MIKADO**

This superb variety is a branching type of the *Giant Comet*. The double flowers average from three and a half to five inches in diameter. The color is a charming shade of silvery lavender-pink. Pkt. 10 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 60 cts.

Giant Comet Aster



**1622 WHITE MIKADO**

The large, pure white flowers measure from four to five inches across, the long petals being artistically curled and twisted.

The plants are of branching habit, eighteen to twenty-four inches high. Pkt. 10 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 60 cts.

**1628 PINK BEAUTY**

The plant is of upright, vigorous habit, eighteen to twenty inches in height. The fine double incurved flowers are a beautiful shade of light pink.

Pkt. 10 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. \$1.00.

**1630 PEERLESS PINK**

A most satisfactory variety for either bedding or cutting. The plants grow twenty-four to thirty inches high, of strong branching growth. The fine double flowers are of large size and keep extremely well after cutting. The color is a wonderful and most pleasing shade of rich pink.

Pkt. 10 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 75 cts.

**1631 SENSATION**

The flowers are of a brilliant cardinal shade. The plant is of branching habit, attaining a height of eighteen to twenty-four inches, and the flowers are borne on stems measuring ten to twelve inches in length. As the name indicates, a "sensation." Pkt. 10 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 85 cts.

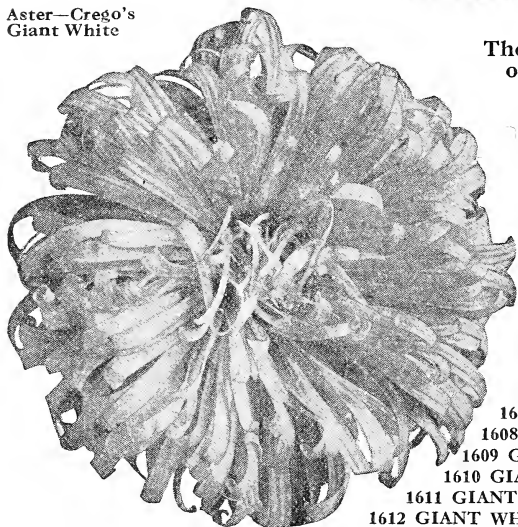
**1635 LAVENDER GEM**

One of the finest feathery flowers in the beautiful *Comet* type. The coloring is silvery white when first opening, changing to the most delicate shade of lavender when fully expanded. An excellent early bedding variety. Pkt. 10 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. \$1.00.



# ASTERS

Aster—Crego's  
Giant White



## Crego's Giant Asters

The most beautiful of the newer types of American Branching Asters. The flowers are of immense size, usually measuring from four to five inches in diameter, and borne on stems twelve inches or more in length. Their lasting qualities when cut are unsurpassed. The petals of these charming, beautiful flowers are most attractively curled and twisted, resembling choice Japanese Chrysanthemums. The plants are of strong branching growth and usually attain a height of from two to two and one-half feet. The delightful flowers are borne in abundance from late August until the end of September.

1606 GIANT SHELL PINK. Pkt. 10 cts.

1607 GIANT AZURE BLUE. Pkt. 10 cts.

1608 GIANT PURPLE. Pkt. 10 cts.

1609 GIANT LAVENDER. Pkt. 10 cts.

1610 GIANT ROSE-PINK. Pkt. 10 cts.

1611 GIANT CRIMSON. Pkt. 10 cts.

1612 GIANT WHITE. Pkt. 10 cts.; ¼ oz. 75 cts.; oz. \$2.50.

1614 Crego's Giant Mixed Our own mixture of the above, each grown separately and then carefully blended. Pkt. 10 cts.; ¼ oz. 60 cts.; oz. \$2.00.

## American Late Branching

A splendid American strain, producing handsome double flowers on long stems. Plants are of strong growth, from two to three feet in height, and branch freely. These grand late-blooming Branching Asters are unsurpassed for a bountiful supply of beautiful flowers.

1571 AZURE BLUE

Lovely large double flowers of rich true lavender—a shade approaching a deep azure blue. Pkt. 10 cts.; ¼ oz. 75 cts.; oz. \$2.50.

1573 CRIMSON

Large flowers of a beautiful shade of dark crimson.

Pkt. 10 cts.; ¼ oz. 75 cts.; oz. \$2.50.

1574 DARK BLUE

Beautiful shade of deep violet-blue.

Pkt. 10 cts.; ¼ oz. 75 cts.; oz. \$2.50.

1575 LAVENDER

Light lavender; flowers large and double.

Pkt. 10 cts.; ¼ oz. 75 cts.; oz. \$2.50.

1576 INVINCIBLE PINK

A distinct shade of deep rose-pink; very attractive.

Pkt. 10 cts.; ¼ oz. 75 cts.; oz. \$2.50.

1578 LAVENDER-PINK

These exquisite flowers open a bluish white, which changes to a lavender-pink.

Pkt. 10 cts.; ¼ oz. 75 cts.; oz. \$2.50.

1579 MARY SEMPLE, OR SHELL-PINK

The superb large double flowers are of a soft, deep shade of rosy flesh.

Pkt. 10 cts.; ¼ oz. 75 cts.; oz. \$2.50.

1581 PURPLE

Large, rich, dark-purple flowers.

Pkt. 10 cts.; ¼ oz. 75 cts.; oz. \$2.50.

1584 ROSE-PINK

A soft and attractive rose-pink.

Pkt. 10 cts.; ¼ oz. 75 cts.; oz. \$2.50.

1586 WHITE

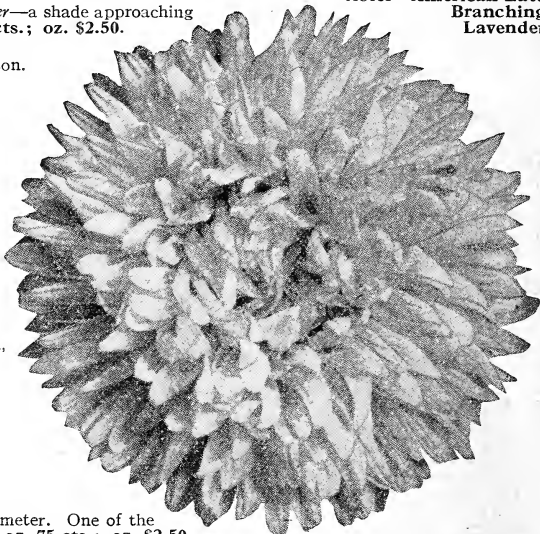
Large double white flowers, four inches in diameter. One of the best of the branching type. Pkt. 10 cts.; ¼ oz. 75 cts.; oz. \$2.50.

1588 American Late Branching, Mixed All colors of this favorite long-stemmed strain. Pkt. 10 cts.; ¼ oz. 60 cts.; oz. \$2.00.

## 1735 Fordhook Favorites in Best Double Asters

This BURPEE-BLEND is absolutely unequalled. For cut-flowers it will be found most desirable, as the AMERICAN DOUBLE ASTERS are always borne upon long stems. The seed has been carefully selected from our finest stocks of the most desirable types and colors. Our yearly trials of Asters are the most complete in America, and we select only the best. You need not be afraid of "Yellow Centers," but may rightly expect the choicest Double Asters it is possible to produce—and of *practically all the varieties described in BURPEE'S ANNUAL.*

Pkt. 10 cts.; ¼ oz. 60 cts.; oz. \$2.00; ¼ lb. \$6.00; lb. \$20.00.



Aster—American Late  
Branching  
Lavender

1629

1633



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### Burpee's Beauty Asters

The first of this entirely new type of Asters was American Beauty, introduced by us in 1917. In 1919 we added Purple Beauty and now we are able to offer two other most desirable varieties—September Beauty and Lavender Beauty. The Beauty Asters are similar in type of flower and growth to the well-known Late Branching Aster, but the large flowers are later in blooming and are carried on much longer and heavier stems.

The plants are robust, 2 1/2 to 3 feet tall, bearing immense flowers 4 to 5 inches in diameter, gracefully carried on strong stems. They are invaluable as cut-flowers and fill the season between other late Asters and the early Chrysanthemums.

**1629 SEPTEMBER BEAUTY.** Delicate, soft shell-pink. A beautiful and rare color among Asters. Pkt. 25c.

**1632 LAVENDER BEAUTY.** Clear lavender. Flowers large and fully double. Pkt. 25 cts.

**1633 AMERICAN BEAUTY.** Bright rosy-carmine, the shade of the world-famous American Beauty rose. Pkt. 15 cts.

**1634 PURPLE BEAUTY.** Wonderful, rich purple flowers of unusual size. Pkt. 15c.



CALENDULA  
LEMON  
QUEEN

CALENDULA  
ORANGE  
KING

MARIGOLD  
LEMON BALL

MARIGOLD  
ORANGE BALL

MARIGOLD  
LEGION OF HONOR

## Marigold, Tall African

Plants grow two and a half feet high, and produce large double flowers two and a half to three inches in diameter in profusion. Sow in shallow drills in the open garden early in the spring after danger of frost is over.

### 2174 LEMON QUEEN

Double, large light-lemon flowers. Pkt. 5 cts.

**2176 Lemon-Ball** Extra large, round, double flowers of a clear canary-yellow. Seed sown early in spring produces large round plants with attractive dark-green foliage and covered with flowers from July until frost. (See color illustration on page 130.) Pkt. 10 cts.; ¼ oz. 30 cts.

### 2178 Orange-Ball

Enormous double flowers of intense rich orange. Flowers produced in great profusion from July until cut down by frost. (See color illustration on page 130.) Pkt. 10 cts.; ¼ oz. 30 cts.

### 2170 AFRICAN DOUBLE, MIXED

A well-balanced mixture of all the Tall African varieties. Pkt. 5 cts.; ¼ oz. 20 cts.; oz. 75 cts.

## Marigold, Dwarf French

This *Dwarf French* class forms ball-like bushes twelve to fifteen inches in height, with finely cut, fern-like foliage. This class is unsurpassed for borders, beginning to bloom in July and lasting until late in the fall.

### 2181 BROWN MARBLE

Double; reddish-brown, marked with orange. Pkt. 10 cts.

### 2183 DOUBLE PULCHRA

Rich golden yellow with deep velvety-brown center. Pkt. 10 cts.

### 2185 ORANGE-BALL

Double; rich orange color. Pkt. 10 cts.

### 2187 COMPACT GOLD STRIPED

Double mahogany flowers, gold striped. Pkt. 10 cts.

### 2190 DOUBLE, MIXED

All colors of the Dwarf French type. Pkt. 5 cts.; ¼ oz. 20 cts.; oz. 75 cts.

### 2194 LEGION OF HONOR

Bright single flowers; rich golden yellow, marked with crimson-brown. (See color illustration on page 130.) Pkt. 10 cts.; ¼ oz. 35 cts.

## Calendula or Scotch Marigold

Seed may be started early indoors in pots or sown in shallow drills in the flower-bed early in spring, when the trees are starting out in leaf. When well started, young plants should be thinned out or transplanted to stand six or eight inches apart. For flowering in pots, seed may be started in shallow boxes of light soil early in the spring or fall and the young plants grown on in flower-pots for blooming.

### 1800 LEMON QUEEN

The best of this shade and an excellent companion to *Orange King*, with which it is similar in every way but color, being a rich lemon yellow. (See color illustration on page 130.) Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 35 cts.

### 1801 ORIOLE

Large, double, golden yellow. Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 30 cts.

### 1802 ORANGE KING

A beautiful rich orange. (See color illustration of this splendid *Calendula*, page 130.) Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 35 cts.

### 1803 ROYAL "TRIANON"

Bright sulphur-yellow with brown center and tipped with mahogany. Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 30 cts.

### 1805 DOUBLE MIXED

(*Pot Marigold*). Very fine, all colors mixed. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 20 cts.

## Sunflowers—Helianthus

They are all hardy annuals of easiest culture, simply requiring that seed be sown in rich soil early in spring when the trees are starting out in leaf. When well started, plants should be thinned out to stand two or more feet apart. Grown in clumps or borders, they are extremely showy and form a decorative background for other flowers, as well as serving excellently to hide fences or other unsightly objects.

### 2762 Red Sunflower

Grows five to six feet tall. The flowers are very numerous, of good form, usually having large long rays and small discs. The color varies greatly—some plants produce flowers of a rich chestnut-red, others red flowers tipped with yellow, others washed with red. Most attractive and unique color combinations. Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 75 cts.

### 2756 SINGLE "STELLA"

Of bushy growth, three to four feet high. Beautiful small single flowers of purest golden yellow, each with a black disc; borne gracefully upon long stems above the small green foliage. Pkt. 5 cts.; ½ oz. 25 cts.

### 2760 MINIATURE (*Helianthus cucumerifolius*)

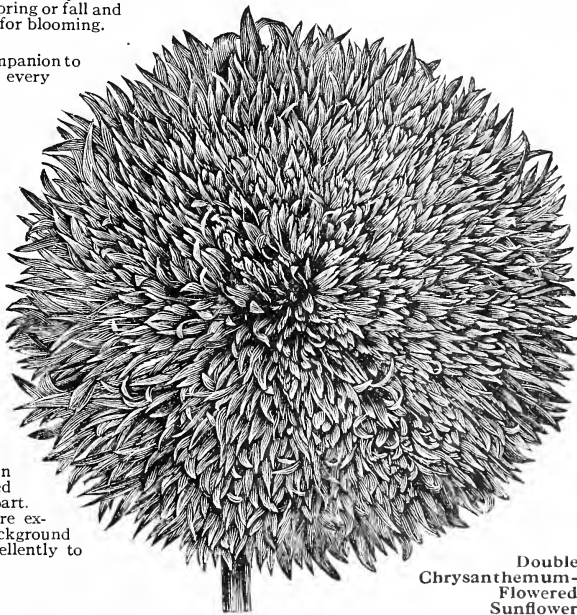
Covered with hundreds of brightest orange, small, single flowers; of pyramidal growth, with bright neat foliage. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 35 cts.

### 2765 DOUBLE CHRYSANTHEMUM-FLOWERED

The grandest of all double Sunflowers. (See illustration from a photograph.) Grows seven feet high. Perfectly double; the color is the brightest golden yellow. The flowers are so perfect in form that they resemble double Chrysanthemums borne upon long stems. Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 35 cts.

### 2767 MANY-FLOWERED DOUBLE (*Helianthus fl. pl. multiflorus*)

The handsome flowers are produced at the base of each leaf, which makes the whole plant most highly ornamental. It grows erect, about five feet in height, with only a single stalk, but at each leaf-joint is a short stem terminating in a fine double flower. Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 35 cts.



Double  
Chrysanthemum-  
Flowered  
Sunflower

## Arctotis

### 1566 GRANDIS (Blue-Eyed African Daisy)

Easily grown from seed, each plant quickly forms a bush two to three feet across, with distinct silvery-white, deeply cut foliage. The daisy-like flowers measure two and a half inches across, and are silvery white, with a sky-blue eye surrounded by a narrow yellow zone. The under part of the petals is of lilac-blue. Borne on long stems above the foliage. One of our most attractive annuals.

Pkt. 10 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 25 cts.; oz. 80 cts.

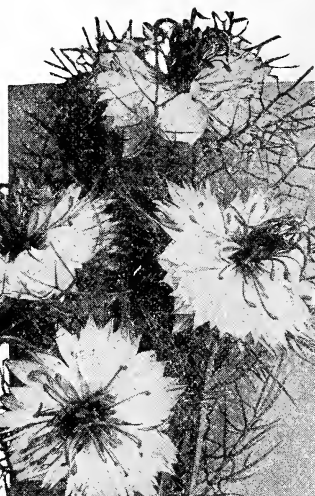
Arctotis

## Clarkia

A fine annual for cool climate. The plant is quite hardy and the seed is sown when the trees start into leaf. Of branching growth and easy culture; very showy and profuse flowering. Most desirable for mass planting.

### 1906 FINEST MIXED

Rosy purple, rose, salmon, white, etc. Pkt. 10 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 25 cts.



Nigella—"Love-in-a-Mist"

## Nigella

"LOVE-IN-A-MIST." Will grow well even under adverse conditions. Withstands considerable heat and drought. Showy in foliage, flowers, and seed-pods. The flowers are surrounded by a wreath of mossy fibers. Very good for mass planting or as a cut-flower.

### 2382 DAMASCENA, DOUBLE, MIXED

Attractive blue and white flowers followed by curious seed-pods. Pkt. 5 cts.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 20 cts.

### 2383 MISS JEKYLL

Plants grow fifteen inches high. Double flowers are a deep rich blue color, contrasting well with dainty light-green foliage. Pkt. 10 cts.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 30 cts.

## Stocks

### Large-Flowering Ten Weeks

Valuable as pot-plants, for borders and florists' designs. As they succeed best in cool weather, seed for early-flowering plants should be started indoors in February. Height, fifteen to eighteen inches.

2718 PURE WHITE

2723 BLOOD RED

2719 CANARY YELLOW

2724 COPPERY BROWN

2720 GOLDEN CHAMOIS

2725 LIGHT BLUE

2721 BRIGHT PINK

2726 MAUVE

2722 ROSE

2727 PURPLE

Any of the above: Pkt. 10 cts.;  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz. 70 cts.

### 2730 LARGE-FLOWERING DWARF TEN WEEKS MIXED

Pkt. 10 cts.;  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz. 60 cts.

2745 "CUT-AND-COME-AGAIN" MIXED. Fine for cutting. Sown in March the plants will bloom all summer long where the weather remains cool. Eighteen inches high. Pkt. 10 cts.;  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz. 75 cts.

## Mammoth Beauty of Nice

This beautiful strain originated around Nice in Southern France. The plants are strong and robust, often producing six to eight fully developed flower-stalks. Our seed produces a high percentage of double flowers. This strain is most valuable for cut-flowers. Height, 36 inches.

2731 MONT BLANC. Beautiful pure white spikes.

2732 MONTE CARLO. The large flowers are clear canary yellow.

2733 ALMOND BLOSSOM. White, delicately shaded carmine.

2734 BEAUTY OF NICE. A most widely known shell-pink variety.

2735 BEAUTY OF NAPLES. A pleasing old rose.

2736 ABUNDANCE. This is an attractive shade of carmine-rose.

2738 MONACO. One of the richest colors. A bright crimson.

2739 QUEEN ALEXANDRA. This is the best of all mauve shades.

2740 CÔTE D'AZURE. Delicate light violet flowers.

2741 SUMMERNIGHT. A quaint shade of rich dark violet.

Any of the above: Pkt. 20 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 50 cts.

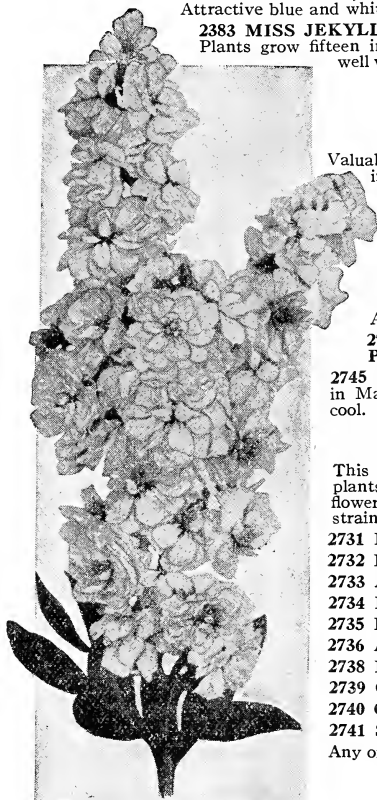
## Virginian Stocks

An early-flowering annual largely grown for edging effects to borders. The plants are six inches in height and bloom continuously during cool weather.

### Mammoth Beauty of Nice

### 2809 FINEST MIXED

This is a complete mixture, including various shades of red, rose, and white. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 25 cts.





## Everlasting Flowers

The Everlasting or "*Straw Flowers*," with their rich, bright colorings, are most valuable for winter decorations. Plants grow readily from seed sown in open ground when the trees are starting out in leaf. When well started, they should be thinned to stand several inches apart in the row, and should be kept cultivated to produce the finest and largest number of flowers. Flowers should be cut while freshly opened, tied in small bunches, and dried slowly in a cool, shady place, with the flowers downward to keep the stems straight.

### Helichrysum

Of all Everlastings, the *Helichrysum* or "*Straw Flower*" is the best known. The plants grow two to three feet high and are literally covered with fine large double flowers. The colors are most brilliant, including white, pink, yellow, and scarlet. They are attractive grown in beds in the garden and keep well as cut-flowers or dried for durable bouquets.

#### 2840 FIREBALL

Large double flowers of the richest crimson. Pkt. 10 cts.

#### 2842 GOLDEN BALL

Rich golden-yellow flowers borne in great profusion. Pkt. 10 cts.

#### 2844 SNOWBALL

Large, double; pure white, showing occasionally a yellow center. Pkt. 10 cts.

2847 ROSE QUEEN. Attractive bright rose. Pkt. 10 cts.

2848 SALMON QUEEN. Beautiful soft salmon. Pkt. 10 cts.

2849 VIOLET QUEEN. Pkt. 10 cts.

#### 2846 MONSTROSUM, MIXED

Contains all the brightest colors. Pkt. 5 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 30 cts.

#### 2833 ACROCLINIUM, MIXED

An everlasting hardy annual with all the good qualities of an attractive border plant. Grows one foot high. Pkt. 5 cts.

#### 2838 GOMPHRENA, MIXED

Also called *Globe Amaranth*, or *Bachelor's Button*. Sown early in spring, the plants grow two feet high and give a large number of small, perfectly globe-shaped, everlasting blooms which remind one of the flowers of *Dutch Clover*. The mixture contains white, lilac, and bronzy-yellow shades. Pkt. 5 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 20 cts.

#### 2852 XERANTHEMUM, MIXED

Plants two feet high, producing small double flowers which are easily dried for winter bouquets. Pkt. 5 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 30 cts.

#### 2854 MIXED EVERLASTINGS

A great variety of Everlastings.

Pkt. 10 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 25 cts.; oz. 75 cts.

## Ornamental Grasses

Ornamental Grasses are not only of most graceful growth, blooming during the summer and fall, but if sprays are cut off when freshly opened (before seed forms) and slowly dried in a cool place, they will lend a graceful, airy effect to bouquets of dried everlasting flowers. The feathery sprays of many varieties are also desirable for blending with bouquets of fresh flowers during summer, while others are used in making fancy baskets, etc.

#### 2858 AGROSTIS NEBULOSA (*Cloud Grass*)

Fine and feathery. Beds of it give a cloud-like effect. Fine for cutting, mixed with other flowers. Pkt. 5 cts.

#### 2860 AVENA STERILIS (*Animated Oat*)

A strong-growing grass, throwing up seed-spikes two and a half feet high. Pkt. 5 cts.

#### 2863 BRIZA MAXIMA (*Quaking Grass*)

Large racemes of beautiful rattles. See illustration. Pkt. 5 cts.

#### 2868 COIX LACHRYMA (*Job's Tears*)

The seeds are strung up like beads. Pkt. 5 cts.

#### 2870 ERIANTHUS

##### RAVENNÆ

Similar to Pampas Grass, and entirely hardy. Pkt. 5 cts.

#### 2874 GYNERIUM ARGENTEUM (*Pampas Grass*)

Flowers the second season; not hardy and requires protection. Pkt. 5 cts.

#### 2879 PENNISETUM LONGISTYLUM

A very desirable grass, producing long, greenish-white heads or plumes that are fine for winter decorations. Pkt. 10 cts.

#### 2881 PENNISETUM RUPPELIANUM (*Fountain Grass*)

Long, feathery, purplish plumes. Adapted to plant near streams. Pkt. 10 cts.

2883 TRYCHOLÆNA ROSEA. Attractive pinkish plumes used for winter bouquets. Pkt. 5 cts.

#### 2885 MIXED ANNUAL VARIETIES OF ORNAMENTAL GRASSES

Contains seeds of many annual varieties. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 50 cts.

Helichrysum



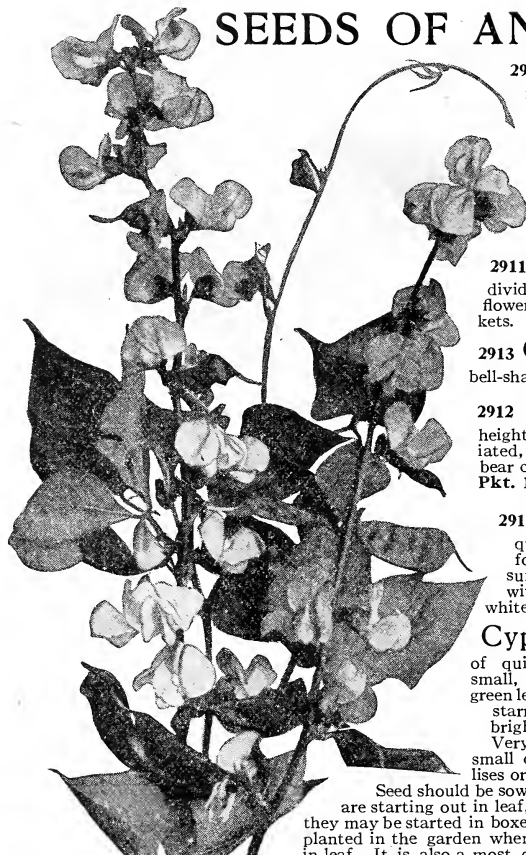
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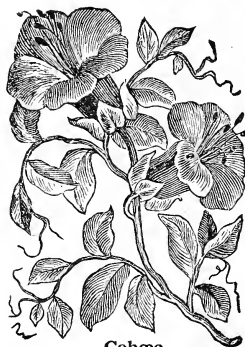
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# SEEDS OF ANNUAL CLIMBERS



Burpee's Dolichos



Cobæa

## 2929 DAYLIGHT

The vines grow quickly to a height of eight to ten feet, and blossom profusely from base to summit, the large spikes of pure white flowers standing out boldly from the rich green foliage. As the flowers drop from the long spikes they are succeeded by broad, velvety, showy white pods which retain their purity and freshness of color a long time. Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 50 cts.

**2933 Spoon Gourd** Small fruits with slender neck four to five inches long, brilliantly marked in green and orange with white on light-green stripes. By slicing off a portion on the side of the bowl and drying the shell, a spoon may be made. They will be found quite useful also in darning stockings and glove-fingers, while the dry fruits with the seeds left in make fine rattles for the baby. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 25 cts.

**2953 Gourds** Fine Mixed. A large and interesting class, producing a great variety of curious fruits, many of which are peculiarly marked. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 40 cts.

**2906 Balloon Vine** (*Cardiospermum Halicababum*) "Love in a Puff" is a graceful climber of rapid growth. The foliage is light green with inconspicuous flowers. The seed-pods are attractive, resembling a large strawberry tomato. Pkt. 10 cts.; ½ oz. 25 cts.

**2908 Bryonia Laciniosa** Handsome cut-leaved foliage. The vines are covered in fall with small fruits the size of a cherry. The fruits are first light green, changing to red striped with white. Pkt. 10 cts.

**2911 Canary-Bird Flower** (*Tropæolum canariense*) Deeply divided, light-green foliage with fringed rich yellow flowers. Very useful for trellis-work or hanging baskets. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 40 cts.

**2913 Cobæa Scandens** A good climber adapted for sunny walls. Large bell-shaped purple flowers. Pkt. 10 cts.; ½ oz. 75 cts.

**2912 Cardinal Climber** (*Ipomæa cardinalis*) The vines attain a height of 20 to 30 feet. The leaves are deeply lacinated, resembling a fine Japanese maple. The plants bear countless numbers of small glowing scarlet flowers. Pkt. 15 cts.; ¼ oz. \$1.50.

**2915 Wild Cucumber Vine** (*Echinocystis lobata*) A very quick-growing and attractive climber. The large foliage affords plenty of shade. All during summer and fall the plants are covered with large sprays or panicles of small white flowers. Pkt. 5 cts.; ½ oz. 15 cts.

**Cypress Vine** A slender climber

of quick growth, having small, finely cut, dark-green leaves. Vines thickly starred with small, bright-colored flowers.

Very desirable for small ornamental trellises or wire supports. Seed should be sown when the trees are starting out in leaf, or farther north they may be started in boxes in March, to be planted in the garden when the trees are out in leaf. It is also a most desirable climber to plant for growing in pots indoors during winter. The graceful foliage and small, brightly colored flowers produce a charming effect when mingled with other flowering plants.

**2919 SCARLET.** Intensely rich scarlet. Pkt. 10 cts.

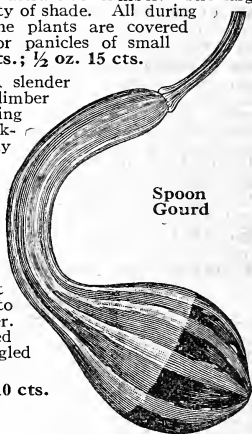
**2921 WHITE.** Purest paper-white. Pkt. 10 cts

**2923 MIXED.** Pkt. 10 cts.; ½ oz. 75 cts.

**Dolichos (Hyacinth Bean)** Of extra rapid growth; makes a dense, attractive screen. The new "Darkness," and "Daylight," introduced by us from Japan, are incomparably superior to the old "Lablab" varieties previously in cultivation.

## 2927 DARKNESS

The color of the stems and leaves of Darkness are unusually pretty on account of their purplish red color. It mixes well with other climbers and gives good variety. The numerous long spikes of pea-like flowers of deep reddish violet are not unlike Wistaria. The blooms are followed by beautiful metallic-purple seed-pods. Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 50 cts.



Spoon Gourd



Cypress Vine

W. Atlee Burpee Co.  
Seed Growers Philadelphia

## Tall Morning Glories

No climber is more justly popular than the Morning Glory. The vines grow quickly to a height of fifteen feet, and bear flowers of both brilliant and soft, delicate shades.

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|-----------------|----------------------|
| 3009 DARK BLUE  | 3016 DEEP ROSE       |
| 3011 DARK RED   | 3017 ROSE            |
| 3013 LIGHT BLUE | 3019 WHITE           |
| 3015 LILAC      | 3020 WHITE WITH ROSE |
|                 | CENTER               |

Each color: Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 20 cts.

### 3021 FINE MIXED

Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 15 cts.; ¼ lb. 45 cts.

### 3024 ROCHESTER

Extra large, light blue with an edge of silvery white. Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 40 cts.

### 3028 IMPERIAL JAPANESE MIXED

A strong grower bearing beautiful flowers of large size until frost. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 20 cts.

### 3026 DOUBLE WHITE TASSEL

Very double and fringed; white with delicate purple marks in the center. Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 50 cts.

### 3027 DOUBLE SNOW FAIRY

Attractive perfectly double pure white flowers borne on vigorous vines. Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 60 cts.

## Ipomœa

Rapid growing, with ornamental foliage and beautiful flowers.

### 2962 SETOSA (The Brazilian Morning Glory)



*Ipomœa Setosa*

Brilliant scarlet flowers with small foliage. Pkt. 10 cts.

### 2973 CHOICE MIXED. Pkt. 10 cts.

**2968 Ipomœa—Fuchsia-Flowered** The vines are gracefully slender, but very densely covered with five-fringed, deep-green leaves bearing small, light rosy-pink flowers. The seed-pods quickly form on the end of the long, wire-like stems and bear a striking resemblance to the flower-buds produced by the Fuchsia. Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 30 cts.

## Humulus

### 2958 JAPONICUS (Japanese Hop)

A most rapid growing annual climber, covered densely with light-green leaves. Easily grown everywhere and will attain a height of twenty to thirty feet in a single season from seed. Pkt. 10 cts.

### 2960 Japanese Variegated Hop

(*Humulus Japonicus Variegatus*)

Where an attractive ornamental climber is desired that will stand rough usage, we have nothing better

The leaves are strikingly variegated; the first color is bright deep green, distinctly marked and blotched with silvery white tinged with yellow; now and then a leaf will be almost snowy white, and another one, not far away, almost green. A strong grower—twenty to thirty feet in a few weeks' time; not injured by heat or insects. Pkt. 10 cts.

**Lophospermum** 2975 SCANDENS. One of the most beautiful trailing annuals. Graceful flowers of large size, resembling foxglove in shape, and of a rich, rosy-purple color. The foliage is of velvety texture. Pkt. 10 cts.

**Maurandya** Elegant alike in flower and foliage; of graceful growth, well suited for hanging-baskets, vases, and light trellises.

### 2977 BARCLAYANA

Rich violet-blue; ten feet. Pkt. 15 cts.

### 2979 FINEST MIXED

Blue, white, and mauve. Pkt. 10 cts.

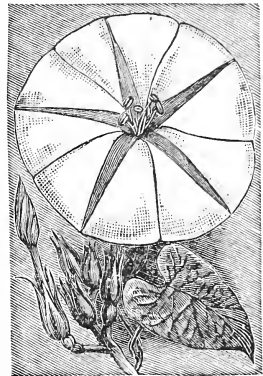
**Momordica** 2993 BALSAMINA (*Balsam Apple*) Attractive foliage, with handsome, apple-shaped fruits. Pkt. 10 cts.; ½ oz. 40 cts.

### 2995 CHARANTIA (*Balsam Pear*)

Rapid growing, with beautiful fruits of a rich, golden-yellow color, which, when ripe, open, disclosing the seeds encased in a carmine covering. Pkt. 10 cts.; ½ oz. 35 cts.

## Moonflower

These beautiful climbers grow rapidly, and will reach a height of twenty to thirty feet in a single season. The foliage is large, dense, and luxuriant, affording splendid shade for porches. Plant seed half an inch deep in rich soil in spring, when trees are well out in leaf. For Northern States, seed should be started indoors middle of March, setting vines outdoors when trees are out in leaf.



Moonflower

### 2983 WHITE-SEEDED

The vines bear thousands of immense white flowers, many measuring six inches across. Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 75 cts.

### 2985 NEW CROSS-BRED

Of great value for the North, as it is in full bloom one month before the White-seeded. The flowers are four to six inches across, pure white, and very numerous. Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 75 cts.

### 2987 EARLY-BLOOMING SKY-BLUE (*Ipomœa grandiflora rubro-cerulea*)

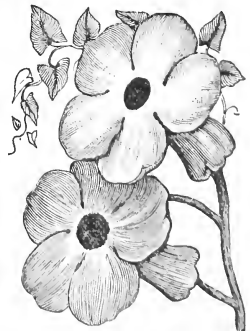
The plant grows quickly and climbs well, but the seed cannot be sown until the maples are well out in leaf. The beautiful sky-blue flowers measuring five to six inches across are borne in great quantity, there being often as many as two hundred flowers open at one time. The seed can be started in pots early in March and transplanted to the open by the middle of May. Prefer a sunny situation. Pkt. 10 cts.; ½ oz. 50 cts.

### 2986 GIANT PINK HYBRID

A beautiful new color. Flowers of enormous size. Pkt. 10 cts.

## Thunbergia (Black-eyed Susan)

See illustration to right. Very elegant, slender-growing climbers, rapidly covering wire trellises, and also useful for vases in the garden or house. They are very attractive also if grown simply trailing on the ground. The colors are white, light yellow, and deep orange, and of each color there is a variety with white eye and also with black eye—the latter is often called "Black-eyed Susan."



### 3700 ALL COLORS MIXED

Pkt. 10 cts.; ¼ oz. 60 cts.

Thunbergia

# ANNUALS FOR BEDDING

## Celosia, Plumed or Ostrich Feather

There are no more showy summer and fall bedding plants than the plumed Celosia. The handsome plants are symmetric in growth, every branch bearing a pointed head or plume of richly colored bloom.

### 1853 DWARF FEATHERED, MIXED

Brilliant shades of crimson, scarlet, fiery red, and golden yellow. Eighteen inches high. Pkt. 10 cts.

### 1855 FEATHERED VARIETIES, MIXED

Taller in growth and contain many bright colors. Two feet high. Pkt. 5 cts.; ½ oz. 30 cts.

### 1858 TRIUMPH OF THE EXPOSITION

About two feet high, of branching habit; each stem is crowned with a magnificent feathery plume of *vivid red*. Pkt. 10 cts.

## Celosia Magnificent

This grand plumed Celosia is one of the most admired plants amid the acres of flowers grown annually for seed on our FORDHOOK FARMS. The plants are of broad, rounded form, from thirty to forty-two inches high. Each branch is tipped with a pointed head of richly colored bloom, which later broadens to a loose, plummy head of the most brilliant color.

### 1860 CARMINE

Rich carmine-crimson. Pkt. 15 cts.

### 1861 GOLDEN YELLOW

Rich yellow. Pkt. 15 cts.

### 1862 ORANGE RED

Reddish-orange. Pkt. 15 cts.

### 1863 REDDISH-PLUM

Plum shading to red. Pkt. 15 cts.

1864 **Mixed** All shades of orange, yellow, pink, scarlet, and crimson. Pkt. 10 cts.; ¼ oz. \$1.00; oz. \$3.50.

## 1859 Chinese Woolflower (*Celosia Childsii*)

A distinct form of the plumed Celosia, with beautiful, ball-shaped flower-heads of a purplish-crimson color, somewhat resembling a ball of wool. It flowers profusely during summer and fall. Two to three feet tall. One of the finest fall-blooming annuals. Pkt. 10 cts.; ¼ oz. \$1.50.

## Celosia Cristata—Cockscomb

Very showy plants which develop unusually large, velvety flower-heads or combs.

### 1912 GIANT EMPRESS

Bright purple combs, bronze foliage. Pkt. 10 cts.

1917 CHOICE MIXED. Various colors. Pkt. 5 cts.

## Salvia—Flowering Sage

### 2681 FARINACEA

A very free blooming variety with long spikes closely set with fine, light-blue flowers borne above the glossy rich green foliage. The plants grow two feet high. Pkt. 10 cts.

### 2683 PATENS

This is a perennial blooming the first year from seed. The flowers are larger than any other Salvia. The beautiful sky-blue forms an attractive contrast to the light-green leaves. Pkt. 15 cts.

### 2685 ZURICH

A dwarf type of the well-known Scarlet Sage. Flowers of large size, closely set on long spikes. A most useful bedding variety. Two feet high. Pkt. 15 cts.

### 2687 DARK BLOOD RED

The flowers of *Dark Blood Red* are slightly smaller than in *Splendens*, but a shade richer in color. There is nothing equal in brilliancy to a large bed of *Dark Blood Red Salvia* in full sunlight. Pkt. 10 cts.

### 2689 SPLENDENS (Large Flowering Scarlet Sage)

By far the largest flowering variety of Scarlet Sage. Well-grown plants measure four feet across and three to four feet high. Pkt. 15 cts.

## Coleus

Tender plants with attractive foliage used for bedding.

### 1919 BURPEE'S IRISH ZULU

The leaves are deep green, tinged or underlaid with golden yellow; dark purple rib and veins. Pkt. 15 cts.

### 1920 ROCOCO

Light-green leaves, attractively marked with a light-yellow design along the ribs. Pkt. 15 cts.

### 1921 BURPEE'S SUNSET LARGE-LEAVED

The leaves are extremely large, while the colors, variegations, and markings are rich and brilliant. Pkt. 15 cts.

### 1923 GIGANTIC COPPER-LEAVED

Golden yellow, overlaid with red-brown. Pkt. 15 cts.

### 1925 FANCY FRINGED AND LACINIATED

Beautifully fringed and laciniated. Pkt. 15 cts.

### 1927 MIXED COLEUS

Tall-growing plants of many bright colors. Pkt. 10 cts.

## Amaranthus

### 1527 TRICOLOR SPLENDENS

Beautiful variegated foliage with large crimson flower-heads. Pkt. 10 cts.

## Kochia

This highly ornamental annual plant grows quickly from seed sown in the open ground.

### 2118 TRICOPHYLLA

Also called *Burning Bush* and *Summer Cypress*. The plants branch freely and the stems are clothed with light-green leaves. Early in the fall the whole plant turns to bright scarlet. Pkt. 5 cts.; ¼ oz. 20 cts.

### 2119 GIANT CHRISTMAS

This new variety grows more vigorously than *Tricophylla*. It remains light green until quite late in the fall, and then turns to a most beautiful deep crimson-purple. The plants hold their color well until Christmas and even later. Pkt. 15 cts.

**W. Atlee Burpee Co.**  
Seed Growers Philadelphia

## Burpee's Defiance Balsams

The seed of this superb strain is *all grown by us at FORDHOOK FARMS.* The flowers are of the largest size, double, and full-centered, with the broad petals finely reflexed (curved outward), as in the *Camellia Japonica*. The individual flowers frequently measure two and a half inches across. The plants form symmetric, well-branched, erect bushes, the branches being almost covered with the magnificent double flowers. Height, two feet.

1741 CHAMOIS-ROSE

1750 SHINING SCARLET

1743 PURE PINK

1752 VIOLET, WHITE-SPOTTED

1744 ROSE, WHITE-SPOTTED

1754 PURE WHITE

1746 SCARLET, WHITE-SPOTTED

1756 WHITE, TINTED LILAC

1748 ROYAL PURPLE

Each color: 10 cts. per pkt.

1759 MIXED DEFIANCE. Pkt. 10 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 55 cts.; oz. \$1.75.

1742 BURPEE'S "EXQUISITE"

The combination of dainty shades is *truly exquisite*, the ground color being a faint creamy buff, suffused and splashed with deep apricot. Pkt. 10 cts.

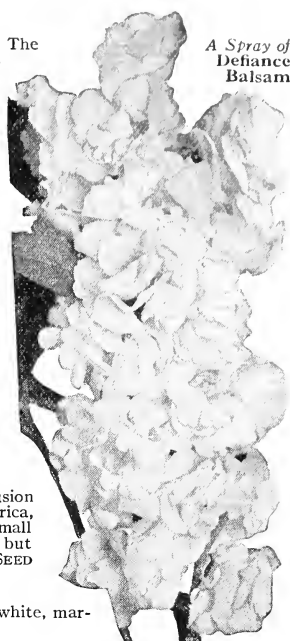
1761 FORDHOOK FANCY

The individual flowers are often two inches across; the petals are beautifully reflexed, exhibiting tones of soft, rich salmon-pink. Pkt. 10 cts.

1762 FORDHOOK TRICOLOR

This remarkable variety is striking in the color of its flowers, which are three-colored—first, a white ground; then, in high contrast, irregular blood-red stripes, which seem to cast a soft shade of pink. Pkt. 10 cts.

A Spray of  
Defiance  
Balsam



## Bedding Begonias

Few plants which can be grown so readily from seed will afford such a profusion and brilliancy of flower. We are the largest growers of Begonia seed in America, and the seed offered is *all produced on our own seed farms.* The seed is very small and must be sown in boxes filled with fine soil. Do not cover the seed, but slightly press into the surface. Ask for our free leaflet, "SUGGESTIONS ON SEED SOWING."

1772 DUCHESS OF EDINBURGH

Plants of fine form with beautiful large leaves. The flowers are crystalline white, margined beautifully with carmine-rose. Very strong growing. Pkt. 10 cts.

1774 GRACILIS ALBA

The compact, bushy plants are literally covered with pure white flowers, which droop gracefully in large panicles. The stems and flower-stalks are of a deep rich reddish brown; leaves dark rich green and slightly hairy. Pkt. 10 cts.

1776 PRIMA DONNA

The plants are of compact, bushy habit, averaging nine to twelve inches in height by twelve to eighteen inches in diameter; each plant is almost completely smothered in bloom during the entire summer until frost. The flowers are produced in sprays, averaging one inch in diameter, the color being a *rich coral-pink*, the unopened buds being a bronzy-pink shade, thus forming a most beautiful color harmony, with its background setting of rich, dark, glossy-green foliage. Pkt. 10 cts.

1778 VERNON

Flowers deep red, magnificently set off by bronze-purple foliage. Attractive bedding variety. Pkt. 10 cts.

1780 BURPEE'S VULCAN

This grand new variety is similar but eclipses the *Vernon* in rich brilliancy. Each plant is covered with flowers, which are of the *most intense fiery scarlet color*. It stands the strongest heat of summer without wilting. Pkt. 10 cts.

1784 BURPEE'S SPECIAL MIXTURE

A mixture of all the above-named varieties blended together in the right proportion. Pkt. 10 cts.;  $\frac{1}{32}$  oz. \$1.00.

Tuberous-Rooted and Rex Begonias—see page 150

## Verbena

2776 Fordhook Famous This MAMMOTH VERBENA produces magnificent trusses in a wide range of colors.

Some individual blossoms are *larger than a silver quarter*. The colors are rich and varied, embracing all the brighter shades. Well adapted for borders or porch boxes. Pkt. 10 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. \$1.25.

2778 BURBANK'S MAYFLOWER

Mr. Burbank has developed a strain in which the flowers are of extra-large size, mostly shades of pink, and more fragrant than in any other strain. Pkt. 10 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. \$1.25.

2780 VERBENA-HYBRIDA, MIXED

Large in flower and corymbs. Of the richest colors, and also the finest varieties of the *auricula-eyed type*.

Pkt. 10 cts.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 75 cts.

2784 AURICULA-FLOWERED

Of bright colors, each with clear white eye. Pkt. 10 cts.

2785 BLUE WITH WHITE EYE. Pkt. 10 cts.

2786 MAMMOTH PINK SHADES. Pkt. 10 cts.

2788 MAMMOTH PURPLE AND BLUE SHADES. Pkt. 10 cts.

2795 MAMMOTH YELLOW. Pkt. 10 cts.

2789 SCARLET DEFIANCE

*True*; brightest scarlet, intensely rich.

Pkt. 10 cts.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. \$1.00.

2791 PURE WHITE (*Sea Foam*)

Large-flowering pure white. Pkt. 10 cts.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. \$1.00.

2794 ITALIAN STRIPED

Striped flowers of many bright colors. Pkt. 10 cts.



Fordhook Famous  
Verbena

## Eschscholtzia

The **California Poppy** is a showy, free-flowering annual, of low-spreading growth, with finely divided foliage, blooming throughout the season. Seed should be sown thinly in shallow drills where the plants are to bloom early in spring. A most effective flower for bed or border.

**2042 PURE WHITE (Alba)**  
Pearly white flowers, contrasting with the finely cut green foliage. Pkt. 10 cts.

**2043 PRIMROSE QUEEN**  
A beautiful primrose shade, quite new among Eschscholtzias. Pkt. 10 cts.

**2049 GOLDEN WEST**  
Bright yellow, with a large blotch of deep orange at base of petals. Pkt. 10 cts.; ½ oz. 50 cts.



Eschscholtzia—California Poppy

### 2050 ORANGE KING

Intense orange flowers shading lighter toward the margin of the petals. Pkt. 10 cts.

### 2044 BURBANK'S ROSE-CRIMSON

The lovely flowers, of a clear rosy-crimson, are most attractive. Pkt. 10 cts.

### 2054 VESUVIUS

Brilliant scarlet flowers with yellow stamens. Pkt. 10 cts.

### 2048 THE GEISHA

Rich golden yellow inside, orange-red outside. Crimped and fluted. Pkt. 10 cts.

### 2053 ROSE CARDINAL

Soft creamy white petals backed with rosy pink. Pkt. 10 cts.

### 2055 SUNSET MIXTURE

A blend of many colors, including the above. Pkt. 5 cts.; ½ oz. 40 cts.

### 2046 DOUGLASSII

A distinct species with small yellow flowers. The earliest of the Eschscholtzias. Pkt. 10 cts.

## 2112 Hunnemannia Fumariaefolia

This has been called **The Bush Eschscholtzia**. It is known also as the **Santa Barbara Poppy**, and is sometimes called **The Giant Yellow Tulip Poppy**. From seed sown early in May in the open ground, a constant profusion of large, bright yellow flowers, from three to four inches across, will be borne from the middle of July until frost. Two feet high. Pkt. 10 cts.; ½ oz. 50 cts.



## Dimorphotheca

### 2033 Aurantiaca Hybrida, Splendid New Hybrids

They range in color from the purest white to red and bluish-white tints, sulphur, lemon, and bright golden-yellow, golden-orange, red-dish-yellow changing to light salmon-rose, superb shades of salmon, very light to deep orange-salmon. There are also varieties with different colored zones, such as white with a broad sulphur-yellow zone around the black disc, and soft salmon with a deep salmon-red inner circle. Height, one foot. Pkt. 10 cts.; ¼ oz. 60 cts.

### 2038 Aurantiaca, The African Golden-Orange Daisy

This extremely showy annual has become a great favorite everywhere on account of its very easy culture and most beautiful flowers. The hardy plants, of neat branching habit, grow only twelve to fifteen inches high and are exceedingly profuse in flowering. Its Marguerite-like blossoms, two and one-half to two and three-quarter inches in diameter, are of a peculiarly rich, glossy orange-gold. Its strikingly brilliant coloring is rendered even more conspicuous by the dark-colored disc surrounded by a black zone. It bears its showy flowers very soon after being planted out in the open ground in sunny situations. Pkt. 10 cts.; ¼ oz. 75 cts.

## Phacelia

### 2578 CAMPANULARIA

One of the most charming early annuals for border planting. From seed sown early in April it begins to bloom early in May and all summer long where the weather remains cool. The flowers are a beautiful, clear deep blue color, with contrasting white stamens, and are produced in remarkable profusion against a background of rich green foliage. Pkt. 10 cts.; ⅛ oz. 40 cts.



## ACRES OF FLOWERS

We wish all of our customers might visit Fordhook and Floradale Farms during the blooming season. No artist could hope to reproduce the wonderful masses of color—snow-white Shasta Daisies and scarlet Salvia, blue Delphinium and golden Eschscholtzia, with acre after acre of dainty Sweet Peas and fields of brilliant Poppies. Come and see them!

## Four-o'clock (Marvel-of-Peru)

The flowers have the strange habit of remaining tightly closed until about four o'clock in the afternoon, when they all open together and the plants become a glowing bank of vivid coloring, filling the air with their delightful fragrance. Seed should be sown early and thinly in drills where plants are to bloom. Height, two and a half feet.

**2196 MARVEL-OF-PERU, MIXED.** Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 20 cts.

### 2198 VARIEGATED

Brilliant flowers, in rich contrast to the golden-hued foliage. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 20 cts.

### 2200 TOM THUMB, MIXED

Compact, dwarf, bushy plants, with golden, variegated foliage and numerous brilliant flowers—yellow, deep red, and striped and blotched. Height, eighteen inches. Pkt. 5 cts.



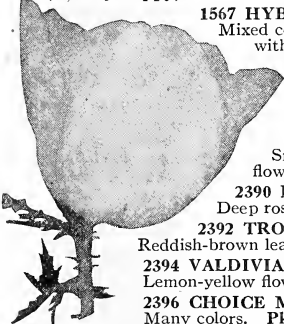
Four-o'clock (Marvel of Peru)

## Bartonia

### 1767 AUREA

One of the most showy of all hardy annuals. The plants grow twelve to eighteen inches high, with thistle-like downy leaves. Is very easily grown, thrives anywhere, and the plants begin to flower early and bloom continuously throughout the summer. The large, saucer-shaped flowers, two and one-half inches across, are of a bright metallic yellow. Pkt. 10 cts.

### Argemone (Prickly Poppy)



## Argemone

### 1567 HYBRIDA GRANDIFLORA (Mexican or Prickly Poppy)

Mixed colors. Hardy annual. Height, two and a half to three feet. Of bushy habit, with distinct, light-green, spiny foliage and white mid-ribs. Blooms continuously from July until frost. Flowers single, poppy-like. Colors, rich yellow to white. Sow thinly, covering the seed very lightly, and thin out to twelve or eighteen inches apart. Pkt. 10 cts.

## Oxalis

Small, free-flowering plants; clover-like leaves, thickly starred with small bright flowers from June until frost. Fine for growing in pots or baskets during winter.

### 2390 ROSEA

Deep rose-pink flowers produced in masses between light-green leaves. Pkt. 10 cts.

### 2392 TROPÆLOIDES

Reddish-brown leaves, forming a sharp contrast to the small, bright yellow flowers. Pkt. 10 cts.

### 2394 VALDIVIANA

Lemon-yellow flowers of small size, borne continuously until frost. Pkt. 10 cts.

### 2396 CHOICE MIXED

Many colors. Pkt. 5 cts.

## Godetia

A charming annual of easy culture, forming a compact bush about one foot high and flowering profusely all summer. Does best under cool weather conditions.

### 2088 FINEST MIXED

Including lovely shades of rose, carmine, pink, and white. Pkt. 10 cts.; ¼ oz. 40 cts.

## Lavatera

The Lavatera is a splendid annual for cool locations, and these beautiful varieties are decidedly the finest and most charming of the family. The plants average two feet in height, branching freely and flowering most profusely from July until fall.

### 2129 PURITY

This beautiful pure white variety is a fine companion to Lavatera Loveliness, described below, habit, height, and size of flower being similar. Pkt. 10 cts.; ¼ oz. 35 cts.

### 2130 LOVELINESS

The flowers are an exquisite shade of soft pink, with rich rose or carmine suffusion, which becomes deeper toward the center. The flowers average three inches in diameter and are borne profusely from midsummer until frost. As a border plant it always attracts attention. Pkt. 10 cts.; ¼ oz. 35 cts.

## Linum

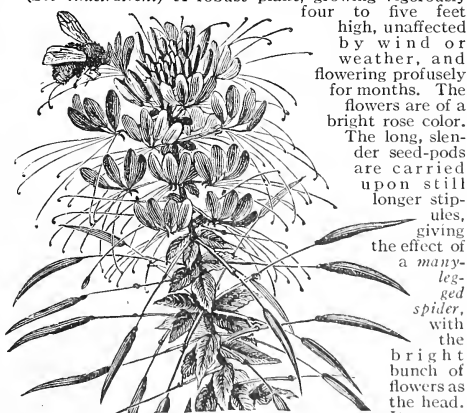
### 2137 GRANDIFLORUM RUBRUM (Crimson Flax)

One of the most beautiful and showy annuals. Pkt. 10 cts.

## 1909 Cleome Pungens

### (The Giant Spider Plant)

(See illustration.) A robust plant, growing vigorously four to five feet



high, unaffected by wind or weather, and flowering profusely for months. The flowers are of a bright rose color. The long, slender seed-pods are carried upon still longer stipules, giving the effect of a many-legged spider, with the bright bunch of flowers as the head. It grows

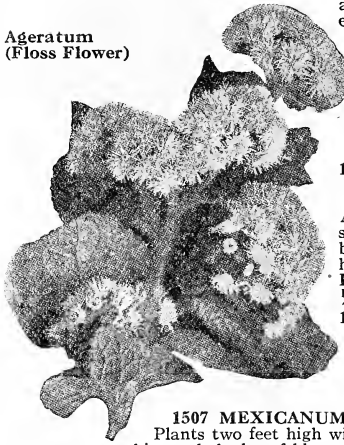
freely from seed, thrives luxuriantly, and makes a fine hedge or background. It is also one of the very best honey-producing plants. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 25 cts.



## Ageratum

Fine plants for masses; flowers of a tufted appearance. Covered from June until frost with a wealth of attractive flowers; for borders and bedding.

**Ageratum**  
(Floss Flower)



**1505 MEXICANUM, BLUE**

A beautiful soft lavender blue; two feet high.

**Pkt. 10 cts.;**  
**¼ oz. 25 cts.**

**1506 MEXICANUM, WHITE**

Plants grow two feet.

**Pkt. 10 cts.**

**1507 MEXICANUM, MIXED**

Plants two feet high with flowers in white and shades of blue. **Pkt. 10 cts.**

**1508 TOM THUMB, BLUE**

Light blue. Height, nine to twelve inches. **Pkt. 10 cts.**

**1509 TOM THUMB, WHITE**

Pure white. Very fine for borders or beds. **Pkt. 10 cts.**

**1510 TOM THUMB, MIXED**

Plants grow only ten inches high. **Pkt. 10 cts.**

## Vinca (Madagascar Periwinkle)

House and bedding plants, eighteen inches high.

**2796 ROSEA**

Fine rose color, phlox-like flowers. **Pkt. 10 cts.**

**2798 ROSEA ALBA**

White with a rosy eye. **Pkt. 10 cts.**

**2799 ALBA PURA**

Clear pure white. Very effective in masses. **Pkt. 10 cts.**

**2801 MIXED**

The above three varieties. **Pkt. 10 cts.;** **¼ oz. 60 cts.**

## Forget-Me-Not (Myosotis)

These charming little favorites succeed best in damp, shady situations, but will thrive in almost any soil.

The Alpestris varieties bloom well as pot-plants.

**2068 PALUSTRIS**  
Marsh Forget-me-not; blue flowers.

**Pkt. 10 cts.**

**2070 ALPESTRIS**  
Blue, dwarf, free flowering.

**Pkt. 10 cts.**

**2072 ALPESTRIS**

White. **Pkt. 10 cts.**

**2074 SEMPER-FLORENS**

Blue; flowers early; very attractive. **Pkt. 10 cts.**

**2076 ELIZA FONROBERT**

Sky-blue with yellow eye. **Pkt. 10 cts.**



Myosotis

## Diascia

The plants average nine to twelve inches in height, the dainty spurred flowers being freely produced in sprays on wiry stems.

**2039 BARBARÆ**

The flowers are seven-eighths inch in diameter and of a soft salmon-rose. **Pkt. 10 cts.**

**2041 SALMON QUEEN**

A delicate light salmon tint. **Pkt. 10 cts.**

## Agrostemma

**1514 CÆLI ROSA (Rose of Heaven)**

A beautiful annual, suitable for borders or planted in groups. Plants grow one foot high, with bright-rose flowers, blooming for a long time where the weather is cool. **Pkt. 10 cts.**

## Browallia

A handsome annual from South America growing twelve to eighteen inches tall. Seeds may be sown in the open border or started indoors and transplanted about middle of May. Good for winter blooming in the house.

**1793 MIXED**

Bright blue and pure white flowers. **Pkt. 5 cts.**

## Heliotrope

Every one loves the delightful fragrance and beauty of the Heliotrope, but few know that it can be raised from seed as easily as the Verbena. To insure a long period of bloom, seed should be sown early indoors and the plants set out when the maples are well out in leaf.

**2109 LEMOINE'S GIANT HYBRIDS, MIXED** (Grown at Fordhook)

Should we devote this entire page to an illustration it would fail to give an adequate idea of the great size and rare beauty of the flower-heads of this wonderful strain. Trusses measure ten to fifteen inches across. Their fragrance is delicious and pronounced. The colors range from white through shades of violet and blue. **Pkt. 20 cts.**

**2100 BLACK KING**

Dark purple. Of the many varieties of Heliotrope, *Black King* is the nearest approach to black. **Pkt. 15 cts.**

**2104 LADY IN WHITE**

This forms a good contrast to *Black King*, with its spotless white flowers; sweet-scented. **Pkt. 15 cts.**

**2098 DARK BOUQUET**

Beautiful dark violet-blue flowers in heavy trusses. Delicately scented. **Pkt. 15 cts.**

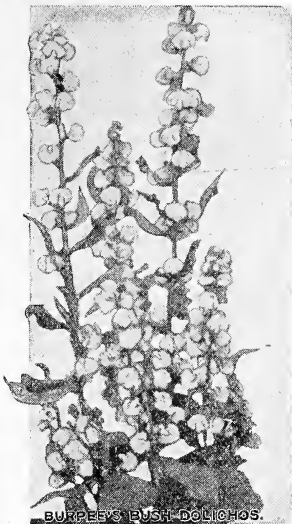
**2106 CHOICE MIXED**

The above, and many other desirable varieties, in mixture. **Pkt. 10 cts.**



The top portion of a single flower-cluster, from a Photograph of Lemoine's Giant Hybrid Heliotrope

## 2040 Burpee's Bush Dolichos



**This distinct novelty comes entirely true to the dwarf bush habit of growth**—large spikes of pure white flowers, succeeded by creamy-white pods. The plants proper average only ten inches in height, with large, bean-like leaves, while the magnificent flower-spikes grow from ten to fifteen inches above the foliage. The flowers are snowy white, about one inch across. **Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 40 cts.**

### Dwarf Morning Glories

These are of low-spreading growth, ten to twelve

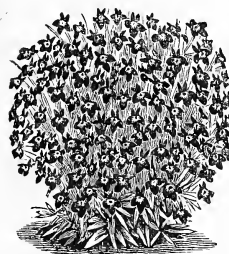
inches high and two feet across, bearing a profusion of flowers, which resemble the tall varieties. They remain open, however, much later in the day than flowers of the tall climbing varieties.

#### 2256 MANY COLORS MIXED

A complete mixture containing many self-colored and also striped and flaked varieties. **Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 20 cts.**

## Lobelias

The annual Lobelias are



plants of dwarf growth, four to six inches in height, covered with numerous small, star-like flowers. Very pretty when grown as an edging for flower-beds, also for hanging baskets and vases, and as house plants in pots in winter. Seeds should be sown in boxes in a warm, sunny window, or in shallow drills outdoors when the trees are starting out in leaf, barely covering the seed from view.

#### 2141 ERINUS COMPACTA, BLUE

Small round bushes literally covered with rich blue flowers. **Pkt. 10 cts.; 1/8 oz. 65 cts.**

#### 2143 ERINUS COMPACTA, WHITE

Similar in habit to above, but white-flowered. **Pkt. 10 cts.**

#### 2147 FINEST MIXED ERINUS VARIETIES

A carefully blended mixture of the best compact and spreading varieties. **Pkt. 10 cts.; 1/4 oz. 50 cts.**

**2145 CRYSTAL PALACE.** Small, compact bushes, covered with deep, azure-blue flowers. **Pkt. 10 cts.**

#### 2151 WHITE GEM

Dense balls covered with snow-white flowers. **Pkt. 10 cts.**

### 2155 Lobelia—Tenuior

This is quite a departure from the ordinary small-flowered Lobelias. It forms a bush of tall, upright, compact growth, fifteen to eighteen inches in height. The foliage is dark green, and the beautiful flowers are thrown quite above the plant on erect, wire-like stems. The color is a clear ultramarine-blue, veined and streaked darker, having a large white eye and lemon throat; flowers are fully four times larger than the dwarf types. It is a free bloomer. **Pkt. 10 cts.**

## Lupinus

The annual Lupines are of easy cultivation, and in addition to their value as border plants are admirably adapted for cutting purposes. They attain a height of one foot, producing long flower-spikes. We offer them in the following separate colors:

#### 2158 SUBCARINOSUS

(The Deep Blue Texan Lupin) Lovely spikes of the deepest sea-blue flowers; fragrant.

**Pkt. 10 cts.**

#### 2159 BLUE

Clear blue.

**Pkt. 10 cts.**

#### 2160 ROSE

Flowers produced freely of fine rose color.

**Pkt. 10 cts.**

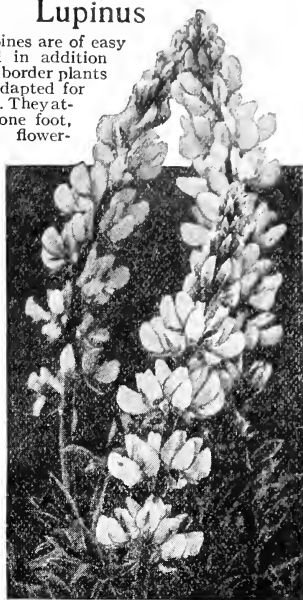
#### 2161 WHITE

Clear snow white, borne above the light-green leaves.

**Pkt. 10 cts.**

#### 2162 MIXED

All annual varieties, properly blended. **Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 40 cts.**



Lupinus

## Mimulus (Monkey Flowers)

Tender little plants, with singularly shaped and brilliantly colored flowers blotted in every conceivable manner. Excellent for baskets or vases.

#### 2242 TIGRINUS GRANDIFLORUS

Large flowered; new tigered and spotted varieties.

**Pkt. 10 cts.**

#### 2244 MOSCHATUS (Musk Plant)

Leaves musk-scented; small yellow flowers.

**Pkt. 10 cts.**

## Linaria

#### 2131 CYMBALARIA (Kenilworth Ivy)

A well-known trailing species which will seed itself from year to year, and is most useful for covering rockwork or stumps. Can be grown in vases or hanging baskets during summer and winter. **Pkt. 10 cts.**

#### 2132 MAROCCANA "EXCELSIOR"

The colors are lavender to rosy-pink and bright carmine. Plants twelve to fifteen inches high. **Pkt. 10 cts.**

#### 2134 RETICULATA AUREA PURPUREA

(Toad Flax)

Color rich purplish crimson, mottled with bright orange. Of graceful, upright growth; fine for cutting. Height, twelve to fifteen inches. **Pkt. 10 cts.**

## Medicago

These plants are grown for their curiously shaped seed-pods, which are of most interesting and peculiar forms.

#### 2208 MIXED

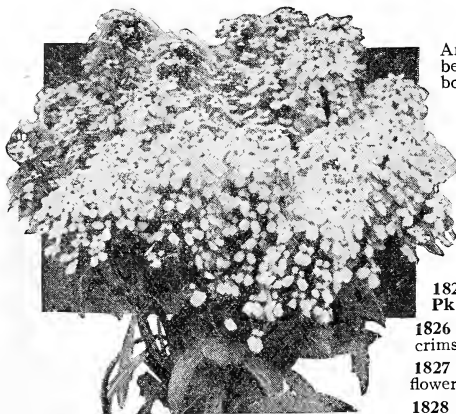
Twenty different species of these plants in mixture. **Pkt. 5 cts.**

## Schizanthus

#### 2694 WISETONENSIS

When in full flower the foliage is practically hidden with the innumerable, butterfly-like blooms which range in color from pure white through shades of cream and pink to crimson and mauve. These make excellent pot-plants. Sown early in January in rich soil they will form large compact bushes over two feet tall. Completely covered with beautiful small flowers. Easily forced in a cool greenhouse during wintertime. **Pkt. 15 cts.**

## Candytuft



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Among the most useful of perfectly hardy annuals. Plants bear neat clusters of flowers very freely. A most attractive border and cut-flower.

### 1816 GIANT HYACINTH-FLOWERED

Most desirable for cut-flower purposes, producing a very large, elongated head of quite large, pure white florets. Pkt. 10 cts.; ¼ oz. 20 cts.; oz. 60 cts.

### 1818 GIANT EMPRESS

Long heads of beautiful large white flowers. Pkt. 10 cts.; ¼ oz. 25 cts.; oz. 80 cts.

### 1819 LITTLE PRINCE

Dwarf. Pure white, hyacinth-like flower-heads. Pkt. 10 cts.

1824 ROCKET. Spikes closely set with small white flowers. Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 40 cts.

1826 DARK CRIMSON. A large-flowered variety of clear crimson color. Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 50 cts.

1827 ROSE CARDINAL. Attractive, rich, rosy-cardinal flowers. Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 75 cts.

1828 CARMINE. A new and very attractive color among the Candytufts. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 50 cts.

1829 LILAC. Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 50 cts.

1830 MIXED. Above and others. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 30 cts.

### CANDYTUFT—LARGE-FLOWERED DWARF HYBRIDS

In this type the plants are dwarf, growing not more than eight inches tall. The compact little bushes are terminated by thick heads of closely set flowers. A most beautiful bedding plant, especially where the weather is cool.

1837 White—1834 Crimson—1833 Brick-Rose—1835 Lilac—1836 White, Shaded Rose.

Each color: Pkt. 10 cts.

1838 ALL COLORS MIXED. Pkt. 10 cts.

## Abutilon (Flowering Maple)

These plants grow rapidly and make fine large plants, bearing a rich profusion of elegant bell-shaped flowers. To get them in bloom early the seed should be started in the house and the young plants set out in the garden when the weather is warm and settled.

### 1503 ROYAL PRIZE, MIXED

Embracing the most beautiful colors. Pkt. 20 cts.

## Asperula

A profuse bloomer, well suited for massive beds or borders. Begins blooming early in the season and flowers freely all summer and fall, even under adverse conditions. This is one of the best early-blooming border-plants.

### 1568 AZUREA SETOSA

Clusters of sweet-scented blue flowers. Height, twelve inches. Pkt. 10 cts.; ½ oz. 40 cts.

## Brachycome

### 1790 IBERIDIFOLIA (The Swan River Daisy)

Very pretty, small, cineraria-like flowers of a light blue color; height, one foot. Pkt. 10 cts.

## Torenia

Charming plants for pot culture, vases, hanging-baskets, massive beds and borders. They succeed well in the open ground.

### 2770 FOURNIERI

Velvety blue flowers, with three large spots of darkest blue and a bright yellow throat; covered with bloom until frost. Pkt. 10 cts.

### 2772 WHITE WINGS

Ivory white, delicately tinted rose at throat. Very attractive. Pkt. 10 cts.

## 2116 Ice Plant

(*Mesembryanthemum crystallinum*.) A trailing plant, fine for vases, hanging-baskets, or rockeries. The foliage is covered with large plant cells filled with water, giving a unique icy appearance to the whole plant. Pkt. 5 cts.

## Mathiola (Sweet-Scented Stock)

A charming hardy annual of dwarf growth, which begins to flower in June. From sixteen to eighteen inches high.

### 2204 BICORNIS

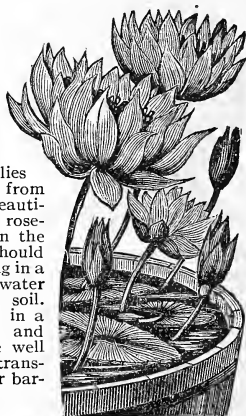
Light lilac-pink; very sweet, fine for bedding or mass planting. Pkt. 10 cts.

## Water Lily

(*Nymphaea Zanzibarensis*)

### 2385 RED- AND BLUE-FLOWERED ZANZIBAR WATER LILIES

These showy Water Lilies can be grown readily from seed. The flowers are beautifully shaded with deep rose-pink or rich sky-blue on the different plants. Seed should be planted early in spring in a shallow dish or pan of water partly filled with rich soil. This should be placed in a warm, sunny window, and when young plants are well started, they can be transplanted to large tubs or barrels filled with water. Pkt. 15 cts.



## Sweet Alyssum

A free-flowering annual of quick growth, beginning to bloom early in spring and continuing freely throughout the season. Excellent for borders, as it is of close, compact habit and even in height. It is also desirable for hanging-baskets or vases, trailing over the sides, producing a profusion of fragrant bloom. Seed should be sown thinly in shallow drills where plants are to stand, quite early in the spring, and sowings for succession may be made at any time during the summer.

### 1520 SWEET ALYSSUM

White. Good for porch boxes and hanging-baskets. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 40 cts.

### 1523 LILAC QUEEN

Beautiful, soft lilac flowers, changing to white. Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 80 cts.

### 1524 LITTLE GEM

The plants are very dwarf and spreading, growing only three to four inches high, and each plant completely covers a circular space twelve to twenty inches in diameter. It is one of the quickest growing dwarf border plants, and will bloom continuously from early spring until late fall, where the summers are cool. Easily grown from seeds for interblooming in pots or boxes. Pkt. 10 cts.; ¼ oz. 25 cts.; oz. 75 cts.

## Nicotiana

The well-known flowering tobacco, fine for bedding or for planting as a background in borders for lower growing plants.

### 2371 AFFINIS

Splendid pure white bouvardia-like flowers on long terminal tubes. (See illustration.) The attractive flowers are very fragrant. Pkt. 5 cts.

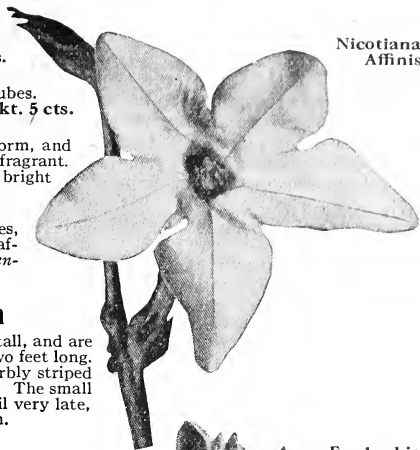
### 2372 AFFINIS—NEW HYBRIDS

The plants average three feet in height, are pyramidal in form, and bloom profusely. The flowers are of large size and distinctly fragrant. In colors they range through creamy white and rose tints to bright red and crimson. Pkt. 10 cts.

### 2375 SYLVESTRIS

The plants have a large pyramidal growth of dark-green leaves, three feet across and three to four feet in height. The tall leaf-stalks are thickly set with magnificent large clusters of long, slender, fragrant flowers of snowy whiteness. Pkt. 10 cts.

Nicotiana  
Affinis



## 1928 Burbank's Rainbow Corn

The stalks, including tassel, grow five to five and a half feet tall, and are clothed with many variegated leaves three inches wide and two feet long. The leaves (both on main stalks and on suckers) are all superbly striped with broad bands of crimson, yellow, rose, white, and bronze. The small hardy seed can be planted early, and as it does not ripen until very late, the plants present their rich tropical beauty for a long season. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 25 cts.

## Datura (Angel's Trumpet)

Showy, large-branched plants, growing three to five feet high, bearing immense trumpet-shaped flowers.

### 1973 WRIGHTII

Large, single white flowers followed by green, prickly fruits. Pkt. 10 cts.

### 1975 CORNUCOPIA (Horn of Plenty)

The mouth of the corolla is a creamy white, while the outside is marbled with deep purple. Pkt. 10 cts.

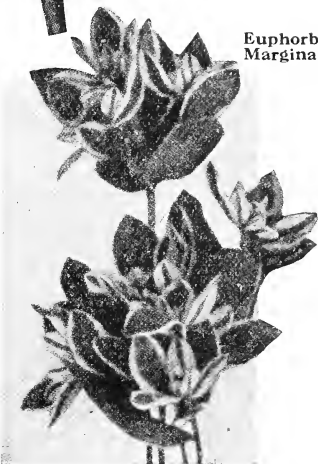
### 1977 GOLDEN QUEEN

Brilliant yellow flowers of gigantic size and quaint form. Pkt. 10 cts.

### 1979 MIXED

Seeds of the above and many other varieties. Pkt. 5 cts.; ¼ oz. 20 cts.

Euphorbia  
Marginata



## Euphorbia

### 2058 MARGINATA (Snow on the Mountain)

Plants of open, free-branched growth, three feet in height. The large, dark-green leaves are widely bordered with pure snow-white. It is very showy in the strong contrast of colorings, and most effective for planting on raised beds. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 40 cts.

### 2060 HETEROPHYLLA (Mexican Fire-Plant)

This plant is somewhat similar to the *Poinsettia*, which produces large bracts of brilliant scarlet leaves in warm greenhouses during winter months. This variety grows quickly from seed sown in the open. Height, two and one-half to three feet. Pkt. 10 cts.; ½ oz. 80 cts.

## Lantana

Well-known shrubby plants with clusters of verberna-like flowers; make a splendid display the first season. The plants flower freely throughout the entire summer. Can be potted for winter blooming. Height, eighteen inches.

2120 FINEST MIXED. Pkt. 15 cts.

## Sensitive Plant

It affords much amusement by its sensitive character—when slightly touched the leaves instantly close and droop.

2709 MIMOSA PUDICA (Sensitive Plant). Pkt. 10 cts.

## Ricinus—Castor-Oil Bean

Semi-tropical plants grown largely for their picturesque foliage. Plants are surmounted by large spikes of flowers and brilliantly colored seed-pods. Height, eight to ten feet. (See illustration.)

### 2663 CAMBODGENSIS

Magnificent large plants with enormously big, palm-like leaves of a brilliant bronzy-maroon. The stalks and fruit capsules are almost black. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 20 cts.; ¼ lb. 60 cts.

### 2665 SANGUINEUS

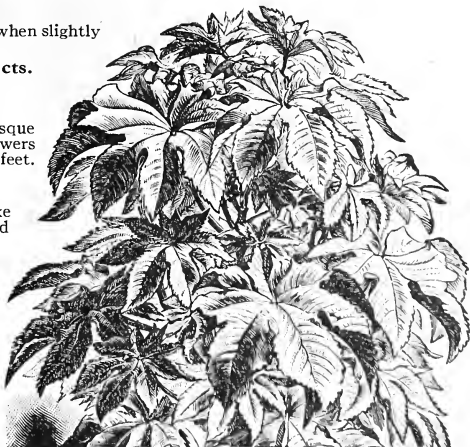
Green foliage; red stalks; scarlet fruit. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 15 cts.; ¼ lb. 45 cts.

### 2671 ZANZIBARENSIS

The plants attain a height of twelve to fourteen feet. The enormous, beautifully lobed leaves measure two and a half to nearly four feet across. Plant makes a perfect pyramid of foliage, with gigantic leaves. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 20 cts.; ¼ lb. 60 cts.; lb. \$2.00.

### 2669 MIXED

Many varieties. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 15 cts.; ¼ lb. 45 cts.; lb. \$1.50.



One Plant of Ricinus Zanzibarensis

# PANSIES

## Giant or Trimardeau

This strain is recognized to be far superior to the common large-flowered and bedding strains. The flowers are invariably of much larger size and heavier texture. Grown under favorable conditions, the plants will bloom for a long time. The varieties we list are all standards in their color class and come true to name, with but an occasional sport, in contrast to the common large-flowered strains, which are to a marked degree impure or sporting.

### 2421 SNOW QUEEN

A magnificent pure white, of large size and heavy texture. Pkt. 25 cts.

### 2423 GOLDEN QUEEN

The finest rich, pure golden-yellow pansy in existence. Pkt. 25 cts.

### 2429 LORD BEACONSFIELD

The unusually large and bold flowers are a beautiful ultramarine-blue, shaded with violet, gradually shading to a velvety white on the upper petals. Pkt. 25 cts.

### 2431 IMPERIAL BLUE

Remarkably pretty clear ultramarine-blue with deeper eye. Pkt. 25 cts.

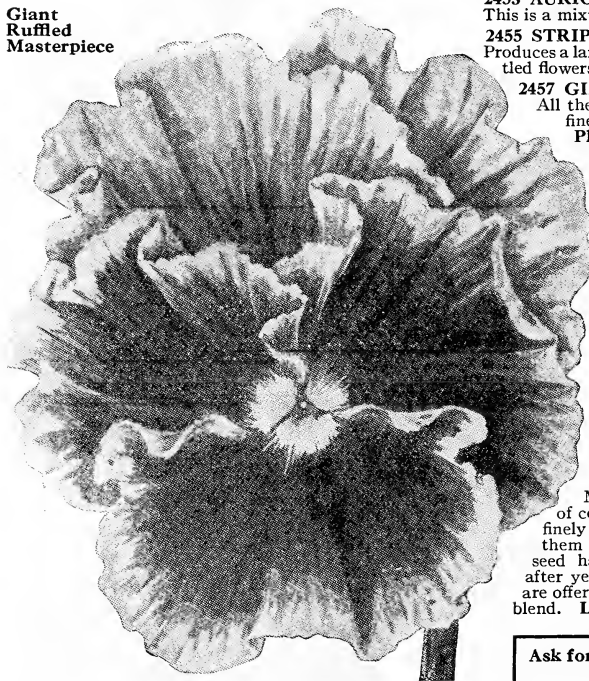
### 2433 ANDROMEDA

This fine mauve variety gives an unusual opportunity for delicate color combinations. Pkt. 25 cts.

### 2435 ROYAL PURPLE

The flowers are remarkably large and bold. A beautiful deep, rich royal purple contrasting well with the light-green foliage. Pkt. 25 cts.

**Giant  
Ruffled  
Masterpiece**



### 2437 VICTORIA

Pleasing wine-red or nearly blood-red flowers. Pkt. 25 cts.

### 2443 BLACK KING

Large coal-black flowers of velvety texture. Pkt. 25 cts.

### 2445 PRESIDENT CARNOT

Large and waved flowers. Pure white, with large, velvety purple eye. Pkt. 25 cts.

### 2447 LORD BALTIMORE

A fine counterpiece to *President Carnot*. Rich golden-yellow, pure shining black eye. Pkt. 25 cts.

### 2449 HORTENSE ROSE

Each petal of the fine large flowers is blotched with rose, varying in shade, but all delicately beautiful. Pkt. 25 cts.

### 2451 MADAME PERRET

Lower petals usually canary yellow, white, or rose-pink, marked with purple or crimson; upper petals either self-colored in bright red or deep purple or outlined with a margin of white. Pkt. 25 cts.

### 2453 AURICULA FLOWERED

This is a mixture of fine pastel shades. Pkt. 25 cts.

### 2455 STRIPED, MIXED

Produces a large number of plants with striped and mottled flowers. Pkt. 20 cts.

### 2457 GIANT OR TRIMARDEAU, MIXED

All the above mixed in right proportion for the finest display.

Pkt. 20 cts.;  $\frac{1}{16}$  oz. 80 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. \$2.50.

### 2459 PARIS IMPROVED BLOTCHED

A large-flowered strain with flowers having a well-defined deep large eye or blotch. Pkt. 35 cts.

### 2461 BUGNOT

In this type the large dark eye radiates into the lighter colors of the margin. Pkt. 35 cts.

### 2463 MASTERPIECE

This is the latest in pansies. The large flowers have such a mass of substance that they are waved and beautifully ruffled on the edges. Pkt. 30 cts.

## 2513 Burpee Blend of Giant and Fancy

For the lover of fine pansies this blend cannot be surpassed. We have included all of the best Giant, Fancy or Show, and Mastodon types, with a wonderful range of color and markings. Nothing but the most finely bred, giant-flowering strains—many of them rare and costly—have been used. Pansy seed has always been a specialty with us, and after years of trial and selection, we believe we are offering here an extraordinary and unequalled blend. Large pkt. 50 cts.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. \$1.00.

Ask for the Burpee Leaflet, "How to Grow Pansies"

## Ordinary or Bedding Strain

These are valuable for making beds where the size of the individual flowers does not count so much. They bloom profusely, holding out well as long as the weather is cool.

### 2397 PURE WHITE. Pkt. 10 cts.

### 2398 PURE YELLOW. Pkt. 10 cts.

### 2403 DARK BLUE. Pkt. 10 cts.

### 2404 LIGHT BLUE AND VIOLET. Pkt. 10 cts.

### 2405 PEACOCK BLUE. Pkt. 10 cts.

### 2411 BRONZE AND GOLD. Pkt. 10 cts.

### 2412 BLACK. Pkt. 10 cts.

### 2414 YELLOW WITH BLACK EYE. Pkt. 10 cts.

### 2416 STRIPED, MIXED. Pkt. 10 cts.

### 2417 ORCHID-FLOWERED, MIXED. Pkt. 10 cts.

### 2419 GOOD QUALITY, MIXED Pkt. 5 cts.; $\frac{1}{16}$ oz. 40 cts.; $\frac{1}{4}$ oz. \$1.25.

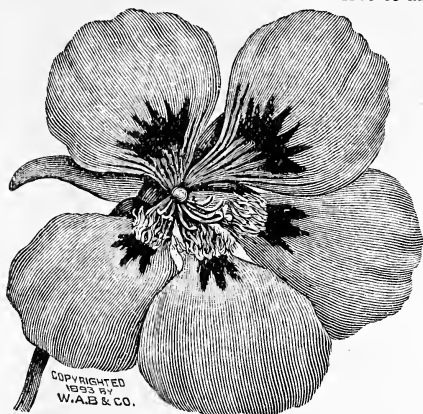
### 2420 FINE MIXED. Pkt. 10 cts.; $\frac{1}{16}$ oz. 60 cts.; $\frac{1}{4}$ oz. \$1.80.

## Tall or Trailing Nasturtiums

These are all of strong, vigorous growth, throwing out running shoots that may be trained upon strings or wires, or can easily be made to climb ordinary fences or wire netting. They are very showy when planted at the top of a steep slope and allowed to run down the bank. They are almost equally beautiful if grown trailing on level ground.

### How to Grow Nasturtiums

This Leaflet will tell you "just how to grow them." Mailed free to any of our customers who ask for it when ordering.



#### 3061 BUTTERFLY (Burpee's)

Light lemon-yellow, marked terra-cotta red.  
Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 25 cts.; ¼ lb. 75 cts.

#### 3064 DARK CRIMSON

Deep velvety crimson.  
Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 25 cts.; ¼ lb. 75 cts.

#### 3067 DUNNETT'S ORANGE

Deep orange marked with crimson blotches.  
Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 25 cts.; ¼ lb. 75 cts.

#### 3108 CHAMELEON

Flowers of various colors, spotted and veined.  
Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 25 cts.; ¼ lb. 75 cts.

#### 3076 KING THEODORE

Velvety crimson flowers.  
Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 25 cts.; ¼ lb. 75 cts.

#### 3078 MIDNIGHT

A deep brownish red, of soft velvety texture.  
Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 25 cts.; ¼ lb. 75 cts.

#### 3080 MOONLIGHT (Burpee's)

Exquisite light straw-yellow flowers of unusual size.  
Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 25 cts.; ¼ lb. 75 cts.

#### 3084 PRINCE HENRY

Lemon-yellow with carmine blotches.  
Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 25 cts.; ¼ lb. 75 cts.

#### 3090 SALMON QUEEN

A rich but soft velvety shade of salmon.  
Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 25 cts.; ¼ lb. 75 cts.

#### 3096 SUNLIGHT (Burpee's)

Clear rich golden yellow flowers, three inches across.  
Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 25 cts.; ¼ lb. 75 cts.

#### 3097 TWILIGHT (Burpee's)

A faint salmon tint, suffused with rosy salmon.  
Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 25 cts.; ¼ lb. 75 cts.

#### 3101 RUBY

Large flowers, mostly of a deep rich rosy red; others are of a lighter rosy pink.  
Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 25 cts.; ¼ lb. 75 cts.

#### 3118 BRILLIANT

Dark foliage, with flowers of a glowing scarlet.  
Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 25 cts.; ¼ lb. 75 cts.

#### 3132 KING OF THE BLACKS

The flowers are of such an intensely dark maroon as to appear nearly black. The foliage also is intensely dark.  
Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 25 cts.; ¼ lb. 75 cts.

#### 3140 SPITFIRE

Most glowing scarlet; wonderfully profuse in bloom.  
Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 25 cts.; ¼ lb. 75 cts.

#### 3105 HYBRIDS OF MADAME GUNTER

A wide range of bright and distinct colorings, embracing a complete scheme of all colors.  
Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 25 cts.; ¼ lb. 75 cts.

### 3103 Tall Mixed

Of many bright colors; very effective.  
Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 15 cts.; ¼ lb. 45 cts.; lb. \$1.50.

#### 3110 FORDHOOK FAVORITE MIXTURE

This is a special blend of the best giant-flowered varieties in many colors, and with both light- and dark-green foliage.

Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 20 cts.; ¼ lb. 60 cts.; lb. \$2.00.

#### 3145 TOM POUCE, MIXED

The running stems produce bright little flowers in wonderful profusion. It is especially desirable as a trailer for baskets or vases.

Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 25 cts.; ¼ lb. 75 cts.

## Burpee's Tall Ivy-Leaved Nasturtiums

The leaves are of rich green, veined with white, so that the young shoots, where the leaves are set quite closely together, have a marked resemblance to the foliage of the hardy *English Ivy*. The flowers are of medium size and of most distinct form. The petals are quite narrow, and stand well apart.

#### 3154 ORIGINAL IVY-LEAVED

An intense glowing scarlet.  
Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 25 cts.; ¼ lb. 75 cts.

#### 3156 GOLDEN GEM

The flowers are self-colored in a rich golden shade of orange-yellow.  
Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 25 cts.; ¼ lb. 75 cts.

#### 3158 FLAMINGO

Dark-green leaves, heavily veined. Brilliant orange-scarlet flowers penciled brown.  
Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 25 cts.; ¼ lb. 75 cts.

#### 3168 IVY-LEAVED—TALL MIXED

A beautiful and complete mixture.  
Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 20 cts.; ¼ lb. 60 cts.; lb. \$2.00.

## Tall Variegated-Leaved or Queen Nasturtiums

#### 3042 ORIGINAL VARIEGATED QUEEN

Every leaf is variegated with yellow, white, and green, but in such differing degrees that the plants present a most varied aspect. The flowers are a rich scarlet-maroon, deepest at base of petals.  
Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 30 cts.; ¼ lb. 90 cts.

#### 3044 QUEEN ALEXANDRA

Glowing orange-scarlet, marbled, mottled, and penciled with deeper shades.  
Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 30 cts.; ¼ lb. 90 cts.

#### 3056 QUEEN WILHELMINA

Magnificent rich rosy scarlet.  
Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 30 cts.; ¼ lb. 90 cts.

#### 3058 QUEEN OF FORDHOOK

The foliage is most pronouncedly blotched and striped; flowers a brilliant red or rich rosy-scarlet self.  
Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 30 cts.; ¼ lb. 90 cts.

#### 3054 QUEEN OF SPAIN

Deep bright-yellow flowers, sometimes with a slight suffusion of red; throat penciled brown.  
Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 30 cts.; ¼ lb. 90 cts.

#### 3050 QUEEN OF THE MORNING

A beautiful salmon-pink on a pure yellow ground. Throat is marked with bright crimson.  
Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 30 cts.; ¼ lb. 90 cts.

#### 3052 QUEEN OF THE NORTH

A bright sulphur-yellow with chocolate-brown veins.  
Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 30 cts.; ¼ lb. 90 cts.

#### 3060 BURPEE'S VARIEGATED QUEENS IN MIXTURE

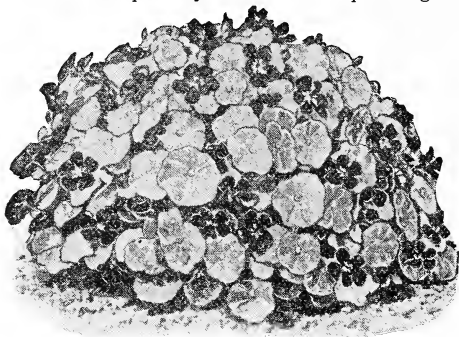
The flowers are of many bright colors, in charming contrast to the handsomely variegated foliage.  
Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 25 cts.; ¼ lb. 75 cts.



# DWARF NASTURTIUM

## Burpee's Tom Thumb Nasturtiums

These are of dwarf, compact, rounded growth. (See illustration.) The "Tom Thumb" varieties are especially desirable for planting as borders to flower-beds or along garden walks.



### 2300 AURORA

Bright chrome-yellow, veined with purplish carmine. Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 25 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 75 cts.

### 2302 BEAUTY

Glowing orange with suffused scarlet markings. Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 25 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 75 cts.

### 2306 BRONZE COLORED

Of a peculiar burnished bronze color. Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 25 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 75 cts.

### 2311 CHAMELEON—NEW FRENCH

Flowers of most diversified coloring and many brilliant markings. Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 25 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 75 cts.

### 2313 CLOTH OF GOLD

Bright golden-yellow leaves and brilliant scarlet flowers. Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 25 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 75 cts.

### 2315 CŒRULEUM ROSEUM

Flowers of a bright cherry-red; a distinct shade. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 25 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 75 cts.

### 2316 DARK CRIMSON

Very dark rich crimson scarlet. Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 25 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 75 cts.

### 2319 CRYSTAL PALACE GEM

Sulphur-yellow, spotted with carmine. Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 25 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 75 cts.

### 2322 DEEP SCARLET

A very bright and vivid scarlet. Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 25 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 75 cts.

### 2324 EMPRESS OF INDIA

Deep purplish-green leaves. Flowers dark, rich salmon-scarlet. Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 25 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 75 cts.

### 2326 GENERAL JACQUEMINOT

Dark-green foliage; flowers glowing crimson-scarlet. Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 25 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 75 cts.

### 2329 GOLDEN KING

Rich glowing orange-yellow. Dark purplish foliage. Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 25 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 75 cts.

### 2331 GOLDEN QUEEN

Six to eight inches high, with small, light golden-green leaves. The flowers are self-colored in a rich tint of orange-yellow. Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 25 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 75 cts.

### 2333 KING OF TOM THUMBS

Glowing scarlet flowers with dark-green foliage. Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 25 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 75 cts.

### 2335 KING THEODORE

Dark foliage and flowers of a rich velvety crimson. Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 25 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 75 cts.

### 2337 LADY BIRD

Orange-yellow, blotched scarlet. Leaves deep green. Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 25 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 75 cts.

### 2339 PEARL

Light lemon-yellow, fading to a faint primrose. Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 25 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 75 cts.

### 2341 PRINCE HENRY

Straw-yellow, heavily suffused with rose; one of the most distinct and charming. Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 25 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 75 cts.

### 2346 RUDOLPH VIRCHOW

Of perfect bush-like growth, the plants are very floriferous. The flowers are of the most attractive soft rosy-pink color. Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 25 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 75 cts.

### 2348 GOLDEN GARNET

Bright golden yellow with garnet blotches on the base of each petal. Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 25 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 75 cts.

### 2350 VESUVIUS

A bright salmon-rose heavily veined with deep salmon-orange. Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 25 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 75 cts.

## 2354 Burpee's Gorgeous Mixed

Large flowers in a wide range of brilliant colors, with both light- and dark-green foliage. This mixture has been carefully blended and grown. It is unsurpassed for bed or border.

Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 20 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 60 cts.; lb. \$2.00.

## David Burpee Type

The foliage is unlike any other type. The plant makes a perfectly round bush, attaining a height of from nine to twelve inches. The beauty is much enhanced by the very peculiar wavy emerald-green leaves.

### 2285 DAVID BURPEE

The flowers are bright crimson-red, foliage light green.

### 2287 ANNA GROOT

Flowers bright crimson, foliage very dark green.

### 2289 SPENCER LADY BIRD

Golden-yellow, spotted brown, foliage light green.

### 2291 MISS MINA GROOT

Deep scarlet flowers, light green foliage.

### 2293 RIEMKE GROOT

Bright, rich scarlet flowers with extra dark-green foliage.

### 2295 MIXED DAVID BURPEE TYPE

A choice mixture of all five colors.

Any of the above: Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 30 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 90 cts.

## Ivy-leaved Type

### 2280 GOLDEN BUTTERFLY

Bright golden-orange flowers. Deep-green ivy-shaped foliage. Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 30 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 90 cts.

### 2284 IVY-LEAVED MIXED

This mixture contains a most remarkable color-range. Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 30 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 90 cts.

## Variegated Queens of Tom Thumb Nasturtiums

Compact bushes with leaves growing so closely together as to overlap each other. Each leaf is showily variegated or marbled with silvery white.

### 2272 QUEEN OF TOM THUMBS

Small but rich, purplish-crimson flowers, contrasting well with the variegated foliage.

### 2262 BURPEE'S DWARF "CRYSTAL QUEEN"

Light straw-colored flowers. The foliage is most beautifully spotted, many of the leaves looking as if powdered with white frost.

### 2260 "CHAMELEON QUEEN"

With flowers of varied colors on the same plant.

### 2264 DEEP ORANGE-SCARLET

### 2266 GOLDEN YELLOW

### 2268 GOLDEN YELLOW, MARBLED RED

### 2269 QUEEN LADY BIRD

Orange yellow, blotched with rich scarlet.

### 2270 LIGHT YELLOW, SPOTTED BROWN

### 2274 ROSY SCARLET

Any of the above: Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 30 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 90 cts.

### 2276 QUEEN OF TOM THUMB MIXED

The flowers are varied in color from deep scarlet, bright crimson, and light primrose to deep orange.

Pkt. 10 cts.; oz. 25 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 75 cts.; lb. \$2.50.

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BEAUTY

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TOM THUMBS

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## Phlox Drummondii Grandiflora

Phlox Drummondii Grandiflora has for many years been one of the most largely cultivated flower-seed crops at our Fordhook Farms. The fields in season are gorgeous; they resemble a great Turkish rug of vividly brilliant colors.

2583 ALBA. Pure white. Pkt. 10 cts.

2585 LARGE BLOOD-RED. The darkest colored. Pkt. 10 cts.

2587 BRILLIANT. Light pink, red eye. Pkt. 10 cts.

2589 CARNEA. Pink, chamois center. Pkt. 10 cts.

2591 CHAMOIS-ROSE WITH WHITE EYE. Pkt. 10 cts.

2592 COCCINEA. Bright scarlet. Pkt. 10c.

2603 PRIMROSE. Large, soft primrose-yellow flowers. Pkt. 10 cts.

2595 ROSEA ALBA OCULATA. Light rose with white eye. Pkt. 10 cts.

2597 ROSEA AUREA STELLATA. Pink with creamy white eye. Pkt. 10 cts.

2599 SPLENDENS. Red, white eye. Pkt. 10c.

2601 VIOLACEA. Violet-blue. Pkt. 10 cts.

2581 FORDHOOK FINEST MIXED. Pkt. 10 cts., 1/4oz. 30 cts., oz. \$1.00.

2607 STARRED AND FRINGED.

Fringed flowers, with petals distinctly bordered white. The bright central eye contrasts with more than twenty lovely shades. The Starred Phloxes have central teeth six times as long as the laterals. Finest Mixed. Pkt. 10 cts.

2615 LARGE-FLOWERING DWARF

CECILY. Plants only 6 to 8 inches high in full bloom. Both rounded heads and florets are large. Most have a distinct white eye, surrounded by petals in shades of red and purple. Pkt. 10 cts.

### Dwarf Phlox Drummondii

The plants average only 5 to 6 inches high and are covered with bright flowers. Excellent for vases and hanging baskets.

2609 FIREBALL. Scarlet. Pkt. 10 cts.

2611 SNOWBALL. White. Pkt. 10 cts.

2613 FINE MIXED. Pkt. 10 cts.



## Petunias

The ease with which these brilliant flowers are grown, the great wealth of blossoms and their ability to grow and bloom under most unfavorable conditions, make the Petunia one of the most desirable annuals. BURPEE'S FORDHOOK STRAINS of all types are unsurpassed.

### 2550 ADONIS

Dwarf compact bushes with numerous small flowers of a *soft, rosy carmine* with white throat. Pkt. 10 cts.

### 2551 BURPEE'S "BABY BLUE"

Flowers are a soft, reddish purple, but when seen *en masse*, appear a *lovely blue*. Pkt. 10 cts.

### 2552 DWARF BRILLIANT ROSE

Small flowers of a most lovely rose. Pkt. 10 cts.

### 2554 DWARF INIMITABLE

Brightly striped crimson flowers. Pkt. 10 cts.

### 2558 HOWARD'S STAR

The large flowers are attractively marked and show a large, distinct, five-pointed white star on a bright crimson or purplish-crimson ground. Pkt. 10 cts.

### 2560 ROSY MORN

The throat is silvery white; the edge is flushed with soft rose-pink. Very beautiful. Pkt. 10 cts.

### 2562 WHITE BEDDING

Dwarf bushy plants, pure white flowers. Pkt. 10 cts.

### 2556 "ENCHANTRESS"

A mixture of all the finest small-flowering bedding varieties of unsurpassed effectiveness.

Pkt. 10 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 50 cts.

### 2564 HYBRIDA, STRIPED, MIXED

The finest mixture of striped Petunias.

Pkt. 5 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 30 cts.

### 2567 DEFIANCE

#### LARGEST-FLOWERING, MIXED

(See illustration.) This strain bears in profusion flowers of the largest size. We have frequently measured flowers *more than five inches in diameter*, while the colors are indescribably rich and varied. Pkt. 25 cts.

## Double Petunias 2574 FORDHOOK FANCY FRINGED.

This strain of carefully hand-fertilized seed will yield a large percentage of plants having very double, finely fringed flowers in a wide range of coloring.

Small pkt. 25 cts.; 5 pkts. for \$1.00.

## Petunia—Balcony

For window or porch boxes, dry banks, terraces, or among rock work the *Balcony Petunia* may be depended upon to supply an unsurpassed floral effect throughout summer.

### 2553 BALCONY BLUE

Dark purple-blue flowers borne above the rich green foliage. Pkt. 10 cts.

### 2555 BALCONY WHITE

A magnificent pure white, blooming until frost. Pkt. 10 cts.

### 2557 BALCONY ROSE

Bright rose with yellow throat. Profuse and continuous bloomer. Pkt. 10 cts.

## Salpiglossis—Velvet Flower

A half-hardy, free-flowering annual, succeeding best in cool moist soils. Seed should be sown thinly in shallow drills when trees are starting out in leaf, and when well started, should be thinned out or transplanted to stand at least twelve inches apart. Height, eighteen inches.

### 2677 GRANDIFLORA, MIXED

Large flowers, most vividly striped on ground colors of deep blue, rose, violet, light yellow, reddish bronze, etc. Pkt. 10 cts.

## Portulaca

The Portulaca is of low-spreading growth, bearing a profusion of very brilliantly colored flowers. Plants thrive in almost any location, but will grow more quickly and bloom more profusely in a sunny exposure and in light or sandy soils.

### 2646 SINGLE ORANGE.

A beautiful golden orange. Pkt. 5 cts.

### 2648 SINGLE RED.

Brilliant shade of rich red. Pkt. 5 cts.

### 2650 SINGLE WHITE.

Pure white flowers of large size. Pkt. 5 cts.

### 2652 FINEST SINGLE, MIXED.

The greatest variety of colors and markings. Pkt. 5 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 25 cts.

### 2659 DOUBLE ROSE-FLOWERED, MIXED

Is unsurpassed for brilliancy and beauty. Pkt. 10 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. \$1.00.

### 2662 NEW GIANT-FLOWERED PARANA

The color is *quite distinct*—bright bluish-rose, making a most effective display from June to October. Pkt. 10 cts.

Petunia  
Defiance



Salpiglossis  
Grandiflora



# Seeds for Conservatory and House

For winter blooming, the seed should be sown in shallow boxes any time during the spring or summer. Write for our free Leaflet, "Suggestions on Seed Sowing."

## Asparagus

Pretty foliage, plants resembling *ferns*, much grown as pot-plants or for cutting.

### 3900 PLUMOSUS NANUS

A graceful foliage plant with fern-like, feathery leaves of a rich green color. Pkt. 15 cts.

### 3902 SPRENGERI (Emerald Feather)

This variety is well known under the name "Asparagus Fern" and makes a magnificent pot-plant with its long, drooping branches. Pkt. 10 cts.

## Tuberous-Rooted Begonias

The gigantic blooms sometimes measure *six inches* across. Flowers of most beautiful shades.

### 3905 GIGANTIC TUBEROUS-ROOTED BEGONIAS, SINGLE, MIXED

This strain is unsurpassed. Half-size pkts. 15 cts.; pkt. 25 cts.

### 3909 LARGE-LEAVED REX

The leaves are very large, measuring from eight to ten inches, wonderfully handsome in colors and varied in markings. Small pkt. 35 cts.

BEGONIAS, FIBROUS-ROOTED. See page 137.

## Calceolaria

Native of Chili and Peru, making fine pot-plants in the greenhouse.

### 3913 HYBRIDA, SPLENDID MIXED

Each plant bears hundreds of showy, pocket-like flowers of various colors, including spotted and tigered. Pkt. 25 cts.

## Carnation

### 3915 PERPETUAL, OR TREE CARNATION, CHOICEST MIXED

Extra fine strain. Pkt. 25 cts.

## Cineraria

Fifteen inches high, perfectly circular in form, and covered with brilliant blossoms. The vivid colors range through all shades of blue to royal plum-purple, and from shining crimson to deep maroon.

### 3918 HYBRIDA, FINE MIXED. Pkt. 15 cts.

### 3920 HYBRIDA, LARGE-FLOWERING, FINEST MIXED

Flowers measure two inches across. Pkt. 25 cts.

## Cyclamens

The colors range from white to darkest crimson, with all intermediate shades.

### 3922 PERSICUM, SPLENDID MIXED Pkt. 15 cts.

### 3924 GIGANTEUM, MIXED

Beautifully mottled leaves and very large flowers. Pkt. 25 cts.

## Geraniums

### 3937 FLORADALE FANCY STRAIN OF ZONALE GERANIUMS

The flower-trusses are frequently four to six inches in diameter, while the individual flowers are often one and one-half inches in diameter. Pkt. 25 cts.

### 3938 FANCY MIXED PELARGONIUMS (Lady Washington Geraniums)

Choice and rare varieties. Pkt. 25 cts.

### 3942 APPLE-SCENTED

This favorite with sweet-scented leaves can be best grown from seed. Small pkt. 25 cts.

## Lemon Verbena

### 3962 LEMON-SCENTED (Lippia citriodora)

The delightfully fragrant foliage makes it desirable for cutting. Pkt. 10 cts.

## Gloxinias

Showy, free-flowering plants, very desirable for pot culture or in partially shaded locations.

### 3955 GIANT-FLOWERED, MIXED

The flowers measure four inches in diameter. Rich shadings of tigered markings in the large open throat, as well as on the broad bands of coloring in the expanded petals. A wide range of colors and markings in mixture. Pkt. 25 cts.

## Musa

### 3965 ENSETE (The Abyssinian Banana Tree)

Strikingly effective as single specimens as well as in clumps or masses. The rapidity of its growth is astonishing; seed sown early in hotbeds and repotted several times will give plants eight feet high the first summer. Pkt. of 10 seeds 25 cts.

## Primula

### 3988 OBCONICA GRANDIFLORA

A lovely, profuse-blooming Primrose, bearing on long slender stems, about nine inches in height, beautiful single flowers, white, shaded with a slight tinge of lilac. Pkt. 15 cts.

## Primula Sinensis Fimbriata

(Fringed Chinese Primrose.) The Chinese Primrose is the brightest and most free-flowering of all pot-plants for growing in the house during the winter months.

### 3969 ALBA MAGNIFICA

Flowers, in large trusses, are pure white with bright yellow eye. Pkt. 20 cts.

### 3971 BLUE

Odd and beautiful blue flowers. Pkt. 20 cts.

### 3973 CRIMSON-VELVET

A very rich color of a velvet texture. Pkt. 20 cts.

### 3975 ROSY MORN

The large, finely fringed flowers are of a beautiful carmine-rose. Pkt. 20 cts.

### 3977 BRIGHT RED (Coccinea)

Most brilliant red of all Primulas. Pkt. 20 cts.

### 3984 SPLENDID FRINGED, LARGE-FLOWERING, MIXED

Embracing all the best colors. Pkt. 15 cts.

### 3986 FILICIFOLIA, MIXED

A splendid mixture of *Fern-leaved Primulas* with large flowers. Pkt. 20 cts.



Fringed Chinese Primrose

## Smilax

### 3991 MYRSIPHYLLUM ASPARAGOIDES

The popular *Boston Smilax* is the most desirable window vine, on account of its charming, glossy, green, graceful foliage. Pkt. 10 cts.; 1/2 oz. 55 cts.; oz. \$1.00.

## Streptocarpus

### 3999 NEW HYBRIDS

An attractive greenhouse perennial. The plant is of dwarf neat habit, growing about nine inches in height, is of easy culture, but must be planted indoors. Pkt. 25 cts.

# Seeds of Biennials and Perennials

Biennials and Perennials live in the garden over winter, and bloom in the spring and summer of the following year. While they do not reward the planter so quickly as do Annuals, yet they are well worth waiting for. They embrace some of our most beautiful flowers, many of which continue to give a fine display year after year. Our leaflet on the sowing and cultivation of "Perennials from Seed" will be sent free if you ask for it.

**Achillea** 3702 PTARMICA FL. PL. (Milfoil; Yarrow.) The Pearl. A beautiful summer-flowering plant, producing in great profusion pure white, small, double flowers. Height, two feet. Pkt. 10 cts.

**Alyssum** 3706 SAXATILE (Gold Dust). Small, golden-yellow flowers, completely covering the plants during May. Pkt. 10 cts.

**Ampelopsis** 3708 VEITCHII (Boston or Japanese Ivy). The favorite hardy climber for covering houses, walls, etc. Of very rapid growth. Pkt. 5 cts.; oz. 35 cts.

**Anchusa** 3710 ITALICA. Dromore variety. (Alkanet or Bugloss.) One of our finest blue-flowered plants. Height, four feet. Blooms in June. Pkt. 10 cts.; ½ oz. 40 cts.

**Aquilegia** (COLUMBINE), CHOICE DOUBLE. 3712 MIXED. Beautiful and varied colors. Pkt. 5 cts.

3714 CÆRULEA (The Rocky Mountain Columbine). Long-spurred flowers are blue and white. Blooms in May. Pkt. 10 cts.

3716 NEW LONG-SPURRED HYBRIDS. The flowers range from pure white and yellow to deep blue through all intermediate shades and combinations of white and yellow, white and blue, white and pink, white and chocolate, yellow and blue, yellow and pink, yellow and scarlet, yellow and chocolate, lavender and mauve, pale lilac, etc. Blooms in June. Pkt. 10 cts.; ½ oz. 75 cts.

3718 SKINNERI. Flowers vivid scarlet, tipped with yellow. About 80 per cent. come true. Pkt. 10 cts.

**Arabis** 3720 ALPINA. One of the earliest and prettiest of all spring flowers; the spreading tufts clothed with green leaves are covered with pure white flowers as soon as the snow disappears. Pkt. 5 cts.

**Bellis** (DOUBLE DAISY). Daisies are indispensable for cool, shady places.

3724 LONGFELLOW. Extra-large, double dark rose. Pkt. 10 cts.

3725 SNOWBALL. Large double, purest white. Pkt. 10 cts.

3726 FINE DOUBLE, MIXED. Pkt. 5 cts.

3727 DOUBLE QUILLED, MIXED. Red and white. Pkt. 10 cts.

**Bocconia** 3732 CORDATA (Japonica). (The Plume Poppy.) Flowers creamy-buff, borne in large panicles. Very handsome foliage. Height, eight feet. Pkt. 5 cts.

**Campanula** (BELLFLOWERS). Can be grown with ease in any garden and are satisfactory border plants.

3733 MEDIA, SINGLE MIXED. Various colors and kinds in mixture. Pkt. 10 cts.

3734 MEDIA, DOUBLE MIXED. These are the finest that can be grown. Pkt. 10 cts.

**CALYCANthemA** (The Cup-and-Saucer Canterbury Bells).

We offer: 3735 BLUE, 3737 ROSE, 3739 WHITE, and 3741 MIXED, each at 10 cts. per pkt.

3743 CARPATICA BLUE (Carpathian Harebell). Rich blue flowers borne on wiry stalks. Pkt. 10 cts.

3744 CARPATICA WHITE. A pure white-flowered form of the above. Twelve inches high. Pkt. 10 cts.

3746 PERSICIFOLIA, MIXED. Bell-shaped flowers. Colors blue and white. Pkt. 10 cts.

3747 PYRAMIDALIS BLUE (Chimney Bellflower). The rich blue saucer-shaped flowers are borne in great numbers. Pkt. 10 cts.

3745 PYRAMIDALIS WHITE. A pure white form of the preceding. Pkt. 10 cts.

**Carnations** Seed sown in open ground in May or June will produce plants to flower freely the next season.

3755 CHOICE DOUBLE, MIXED. Very good. Pkt. 10 cts.

3757 EARLY VIENNA. Very fine for open ground. Pkt. 10 cts.

3761 FANCY PICOTEE, FINE, MIXED. Pkt. 25 cts.

**Centaurea** 3763 MONTANA (Hardy Cornflower). Large, showy, thistle-like blue flowers. Height, two feet. Pkt. 10 cts.

**Chelone** 3764 BARBATA (Turtle-head; Shell Flower). A most attractive plant, with long spikes of coral-red flowers. Height, two and one-half feet. Pkt. 15 cts.

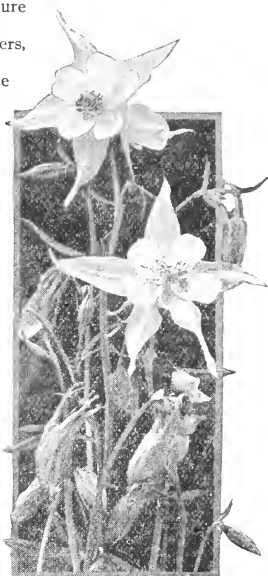
**Cheiranthus** 3765 ALLIONI. Lovely, orange-yellow flowers. Twelve inches high. Blooms in May. Pkt. 10 cts.

**Cerastium** 3767 TOMENTOSUM (Snow in Summer). A lovely creeping plant with silvery foliage and white flowers. Useful for rockwork or edging. Blooms in May. Pkt. 10 cts.

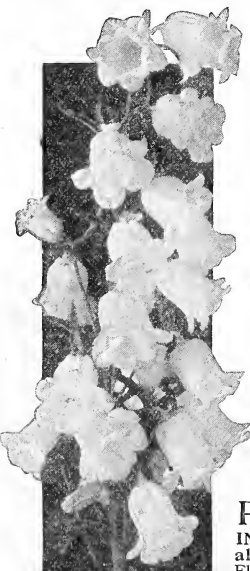
**Chrysanthemum** 3748 HARDY PERENNIAL VARIETIES. Seed sown in the spring will produce strong plants that will flower freely during the fall. Pkt. 15 cts.

1904 INODORUM PLENISSIMUM. Beautiful double white flowers, fine for cutting. Pkt. 10 cts.

**Perennial Chrysanthemums** 3750 BURPEE'S FORDHOOK STRAIN OF EARLY-FLOWERING SINGLE PERENNIAL CHRYSANTHEMUMS. The most beautiful of all hardy autumn flowers. Easily grown from seed, flowering the first season. Flowers measure three inches across. The colors range from pure white, blush, light and deep yellow, pink, rose, orange, terra-cotta, and old gold to crimson and purple shades. Pkt. 20 cts.



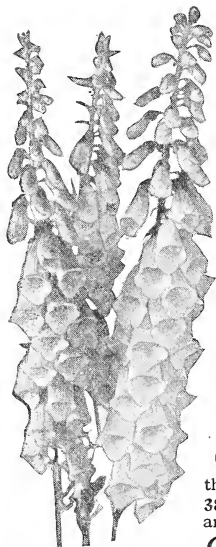
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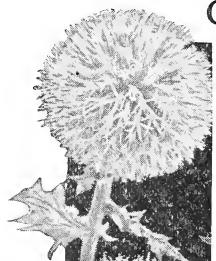
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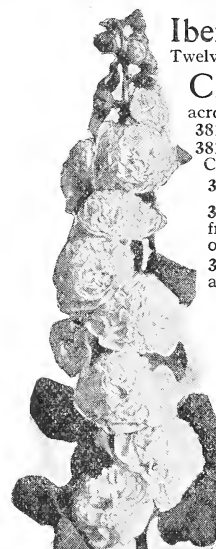
## Seeds of Perennial Flowers—Continued



Digitalis (Foxglove)



Echinops  
Sphaerocephalus



Double Hollyhocks

**Shasta Daisy** 3770 (CHRYSANthemum MAXIMUM). This creation of Luther Burbank is sometimes called the "Giant White California Daisy." Flowers are produced freely after the first season. Pkt. 10 cts.

**Delphinium** (PERENNIAL LARKSPUR). 3776 FORMOSUM. Brilliant blue, white eye. Blooms in June. Four feet high. Pkt. 10 cts.

3772 BELLADONNA SEEDLINGS. Soft light blue. Four feet high. Pkt. 10 cts.

3778 CHOICE MIXED. Best varieties in fine mixture. Pkt. 5 cts.

**Dianthus** (PERENNIAL PINKS). 3783 PLUMARIUS (Pheasant-Eye Pink). The original clove pink. Blooms in June. Pkt. 5 cts.

3785 SCOTICUS, fl. pl. (Paisley or Florists' Pink). A very pretty double variety of the preceding. One foot high, blooming profusely during June. Pkt. 10 cts.

**Digitalis** (FOXGLOVE). 3787 FINE MIXED. Magnificent tall spikes. Four feet high. Pkt. 5 cts.

3789 WHITE. A most handsome variety, the pure white flowers being shown off to great advantage by the dark-green foliage. May and June. Pkt. 10 cts.

**Echinops** 3793 SPHÆROCEPHALUS (The Globe Thistle). A stately border plant with thistle-like foliage and large, ball-shaped flower-heads. Color blue, changing to white. Six to eight feet high. Pkt. 10 cts.; ½ oz. 25 cts.

**Erigeron** 3797 (STENACTIS) SPECIOSUS SUPERBUS (Fleabane). The bright, mauve-colored, single, daisy-like flowers are produced in abundance throughout summer. Height, two feet. Pkt. 10 cts.

**Gaillardia** No flowers in the borders are more showy among perennials for many weeks during the summer and autumn months or produce more bloom than the *Gaillardias*. They will frequently grow in soils that are too poor for other plants.

3805 GRANDIFLORA, New Perennial Hybrids (Blanket Flower). Colors yellow and crimson. Two feet high. Pkt. 10 cts.

**Geum** 3806 COCCINEUM (Mrs. Bradshaw). Grows about two feet high. The double flowers, measuring two inches in diameter, are of a deep, orange-scarlet color. Pkt. 10 cts.

**Gypsophila** 3807 PANICULATA (Baby's Breath). The tiny white flowers are borne in myriads on such slender stems that they appear as clouds floating in the air. Three to four feet high, blooming from July on. Pkt. 5 cts.; ¼ oz. 25 cts.

**Helenium** 3809 AUTUMNALE SUPERBUM (Sneezewort). A free and continuous flowering plant with spreading heads of golden-yellow, daisy-like flowers. Six to eight feet tall, blooming during late summer and fall. Pkt. 10 cts.

**Heuchera** 3811 SANGUINEA HYBRIDS. The foliage is dwarf and compact, above which rise the numerous graceful panicles of flower-spikes. Colors range from white, pink, to rose and crimson. Pkt. 10 cts.

**Hibiscus** 3812 (MALLOW). The finest giant-flowered varieties, in colors ranging from white to rich crimson. The plants produce their immense showy flowers in great abundance from June until late fall. Height, four to six feet. Pkt. 10 cts.; ¼ oz. 35 cts.

**Incarvillea** 3831 DELAVAYI (Hardy Gloxinia). The flowers are produced in clusters on a long stem, are rose colored, and shaped like a gloxinia. Suited for shady places. Pkt. 15 cts.

**Iberis** 3829 SEMPERVIRENS (Perennial Candytuft). Produces flowers of the purest whiteness in the early spring and is well adapted for edging or rock-work. Twelve inches high, making a fine display during May. Pkt. 10 cts.

**Chater's Double Hollyhocks** The magnificent long spikes are crowded with double flowers three to four inches across, and all of the brightest colors.

3819 DOUBLE WHITE 3814 DOUBLE LIGHT PINK 3815 DOUBLE MAROON

3816 DOUBLE ROSE 3817 DOUBLE SCARLET 3818 DOUBLE YELLOW

Choice seed of these best colors, grown separately, each at 10 cts. a pkt.

3822 FINEST MIXED. A fine mixture of double varieties. Pkt. 10 cts.

3826 DOUBLE ALLEGHENY. Flowers are distinct in having edges of the petals finely fringed. They are large sized, fairly double, and show effectively the fringed character of the petals; a good range of soft, rich colorings. Pkt. 10 cts.

3828 SINGLE MIXED. The single varieties flower more continuously than the doubles, and are very showy in the border. All colors mixed. Pkt. 5 cts.; ¼ oz. 25 cts.

**Lathyrus** (PERENNIAL PEAS). These *Perennial Peas*, although lacking fragrance, are very valuable because of the fact that they are perennials.

3836 WHITE. Clusters of the purest white flowers. Pkt. 10 cts.

3837 GIANT "WHITE PEARL." Bears large clusters of beautiful pearly-white flowers. The vines attain a height of from eight to ten feet and produce the clusters of bloom throughout the summer and fall. Pkt. 15 cts.

3839 MIXED. All colors. Pkt. 5 cts.

**Linum** 3841 PERENNE (Flax). A rich, blue-flowered flax. Blooms freely from June. Height, fifteen inches. Pkt. 5 cts.; ¼ oz. 35 cts.

**Lobelia** 3843 CARDINALIS (Indian Pink or Cardinal Flower). Thrives best in moist and slightly shady positions. Color rich crimson. Height, two to four feet. Pkt. 10 cts.

**Lupinus** 3844 POLYPHYLLUS, WHITE. Pure white flower-spikes. Pkt. 10 cts.; ½ oz. 35 cts.; oz. 60 cts.

3845 POLYPHYLLUS, BLUE. Large, handsome spikes of blue flowers during June. Height, three feet. Pkt. 10 cts.; ½ oz. 35 cts.; oz. 60 cts.

3846 MOERHEIMI. Rose and white flower-spikes. Pkt. 10 cts.

## Seeds of Perennial Flowers—Continued

**Lychnis** (BURNING STAR). *Lychnis* is known under a number of names, such as "Lamp-flower," "Maltese cross," etc. It is one of the most popular hardy plants, growing in almost any soil.

**2164 CHALCEDONICA.** Corymbs of small, intensely bright scarlet flowers. Pkt. 10 cts.

**3846a VISCARIA SPLENDENS** (Maltese Cross; Ragged Robin). A fine border plant with deep-red flowers. Blooms during June. Height, one foot. Pkt. 10 cts.

**Papaver** (PERENNIAL POPPIES). They throw up flower-spikes three feet or more in height, surmounted by single flowers of immense size.

**3847 CHOICEST MIXED.** Pkt. 5 cts.

**3851 ORIENTALE.** The darkest red; magnificent. Three feet tall. Pkt. 10 cts.

**Papaver** **NUDICAULE** (Iceland Poppy). This beautiful hardy perennial Poppy should have a place in every garden; the lovely white, yellow, and orange-colored flowers are produced on long, stiff stems, being most useful for cutting. Eighteen inches high.

**3849 CHOICEST MIXED.** Pkt. 10 cts.

**Pentstemon** **3854 GIANT FLORADALE FANCY STRAIN.** Contains all colors, from white, pink, rose, crimson, lavender, and blue, with every imaginable intermediate shade and many having daintily mottled and penciled markings in the throat. The flowers average 1½ inches in diameter, the spikes being 18 inches in length. Pkt. 20 cts.

**Physalis** **3856 FRANCHETI** (Chinese Lantern Plant). This is grown for its showy scarlet fruit calyces; these may be cut with leaves and stems and dried for winter decoration. Pkt. 10 cts.

**Platycodon** **3857 GRANDIFLORUM PUMILUM.** Bright, deep blue flowers of large size. It flowers the first year and is perfectly hardy; one of the finest border plants. Pkt. 10 cts.

**Polyanthus** **3859 LARGE FLOWERING, ALL COLORS MIXED.** Charming early spring-flowering plants, perfectly hardy and most effective for beds or massing. Pkt. 15 cts.

**Primula** **3861 AURICULA.** Fine mixed. Pkt. 15 cts.

**3865 VULGARIS.** Wild English primrose. Pkt. 10 cts.

**Pyrethrum** **3868 PARTHENIFOLIUM AUREUM** (Golden Feather). Pkt. 10 cts.

**3870 ROSEUM** (Insect Powder Plant). A fine hardy plant, with large, daisy-like flowers in mixed colors. Pkt. 10 cts.

**Rocket** **SWEET.** **3872 MIXED.** The plants grow two feet in height, surmounted by large panicles of brightly colored flowers. White and purple flowered varieties in mixture. Pkt. 10 cts.

**Rudbeckia** **3874 NEWMANII** (Cone Flower). Yellow, daisy-shaped flowers with black center. Pkt. 10 cts.

**Saponaria** **3875 OCYMOIDES** (Rock Soapwort). Of creeping habit, the beautiful rose-colored flowers continue from June until late September. Height, six inches. Pkt. 10 cts.

**Scabiosa** **3876 CAUCASICA** (Pincushion Flower). Large light-blue flowers, blooming continuously throughout the summer, making it invaluable as a cut-flower. Height, two feet. Pkt. 10 cts.

**Statice** **3879 LATIFOLIA** (Sea Lavender). The cloud-like masses of flowers make our borders gay for a long period. The flowers can be dried and used for winter decorations. Color clear mauve. Pkt. 10 cts.

**Stocks** *The Emperor Stock* lives for several years if protected; a profuse bloomer.

**3880 EMPEROR, or PERPETUAL.** Fine mixed. Pkt. 15 cts.

**Stokesia** **3882 CYANEA** (Cornflower Aster). A lovely hardy plant, producing in abundance handsome lavender flowers and blooming continuously all summer; indispensable for the border and for cutting. Pkt. 10 cts.

**3883 CYANEA ALBA.** A pure white form of the above. Pkt. 10 cts.

**Sweet William** These make matchless border plants and should be in every garden.

**3884 PERFECTION SINGLE, MIXED.** A splendid strain. Pkt. 5 cts.

**3886 PINK BEAUTY.** Beautiful salmon-pink flowers. Pkt. 10 cts.

**3888 ROYAL IRISH.** This strain of *Auricula-eyed* Sweet William is notable for the clear markings and large size florets as well as trusses. Pkt. 10 cts.

**3890 SCARLET BEAUTY.** A rich scarlet. Pkt. 10 cts.

**3892 DOUBLE MIXED.** Fine double flowers. Pkt. 5 cts.

**Valerian** **3898 (CENTRANTHUS) COCCINEA.** The bright red flower-heads have a spicy fragrance. Pkt. 10 cts.

**3899 WHITE.** A white-flowered variety. Pkt. 10 cts.

**Veronica** **3893a SPICATA, MIXED** (Speedwell). Bright blue, pink, and white flower-spikes during August. Pkt. 10 cts.

**Violas or Tufted Pansies** Sow the seed in May, and when in flower in August or September, transplant into well-enriched beds.

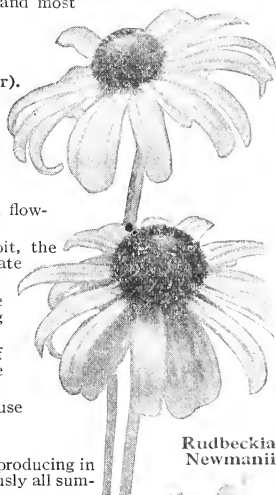
**2807 FINEST MIXED.** All colors. Pkt. 10 cts.

**Wallflower** **3894 FINE DOUBLE, MIXED.** Spikes of deliciously fragrant double flowers, combining many shades of color—chocolate-brown and orange-purple. Pkt. 15 cts.

**3897 EXTRA-EARLY PARISIAN.** Golden-yellow single flowers. Pkt. 15 cts.



Pyrethrum Roseum



Rudbeckia Newmanii



Sweet William

# Burpee's Bulbs and Roots

**Instructions for Ordering Bulbs** All bulbs may be ordered by number and the various collections by the key letters. Our Seed and Bulb Departments are entirely separate. By reason of the different types of packing required, we believe it to be for the best interest of our customers to ship separately. Bulbs as ordered will be forwarded subject to weather conditions.

**SPECIAL NOTICE.**—The packages or boxes in which the bulbs are received should, upon receipt, be opened and unpacked at once. The bulbs not needed for immediate planting should be spread out thinly in a cool, dry place where they will be safe from extreme heat or freezing.

## 5023 ACHIMENES MIXED

A beautiful conservatory or greenhouse plant with large, funnel-shaped flowers in crimson, scarlet, purple, and white. 15 cts. each; 12 for \$1.50, postpaid.

## 5000 AMARYLLIS FORMOSISSIMA

Desirable both for house culture in pots and for beds in the open ground in a sunny location. The lily-like flowers are of a rich crimson-scarlet. Very easily grown and always attract much attention. 25 cts. each; 3 for 65 cts.; 12 for \$2.50, postpaid.

## 5001 AMARYLLIS JOHNSONI

This is the giant Amaryllis. The large, trumpet-shaped flowers are marked by a broad white stripe extending to the base of each petal, making a very striking contrast to the deep crimson of the flower. The bulbs are easily cured and carried over winter in a dry state. Giant bulbs. 75 cts. each; 3 for \$2.00; 12 for \$7.50, postpaid.

## 5002 AMARYLLIS HALLII (*Lycoris Squamigera*)

Newly introduced from Japan and exceedingly hardy; flowers rosy-lilac banded yellow, and very fragrant. Large-sized bulbs.

50 cts. each; 3 for \$1.40; 12 for \$5.00, postpaid.

## 5005 AMARYLLIS (*Hippeastrum*), GIANT MIXED

Very ornamental plants, suited for the greenhouse and window garden. Easily raised for winter blooming in the house, of grand form and gorgeous in colors.

70 cts. each; 3 for \$1.85; 12 for \$7.00, postpaid.

## 5008 ANEMONE, VICTORIA GIANT, MIXED

10 cts. each; 12 for 85 cts.; 100 for \$5.00, postpaid.

**5013 APIOS TUBEROSA (Tuberous-Rooted Wistaria).** Bears small, close bunches of deep-purple, wistaria-like flowers, with the added attraction of delightful fragrance.

10 cts. each; 6 for 50 cts.; 25 for \$1.50, postpaid.

## TUBEROUS-ROOTED BEGONIAS

The Tuberous-rooted Begonia is a very desirable plant, either for window, conservatory, or outdoor planting; it grows in well-shaded places. As pot-plants for the conservatory or veranda, they are unrivaled.

### SINGLE VARIETIES

5024 WHITE	5027 PINK
5025 YELLOW	5028 DEEP ROSE
5026 ORANGE	5029 SCARLET

Any of the above: 35 cts. each; 6 for \$1.75, postpaid.

## 5030 SINGLE MIXED

25 cts. each; 6 for \$1.25, postpaid.

## Calla Ethiopica

## DOUBLE TUBEROUS-ROOTED BEGONIAS

5031 WHITE	5034 PINK
5032 YELLOW	5035 DEEP ROSE
5033 ORANGE	5036 SCARLET

Any of the above: 45 cts. each; 6 for \$2.25, postpaid.

## 5037 DOUBLE MIXED

35 cts. each; 6 for \$1.75, postpaid.

## 5067 CALADIUM ESCULENTUM

The well-known Elephant's Ear. Very effective as single plants or in masses. Three feet high. 35 cts. each; 12 for \$3.50, postpaid.

## 5068 CALADIUM, Fancy-Leaved

Superbly ornamental foliage plants for greenhouse, conservatory, window-boxes, or for planting outdoors in a sheltered and shaded location. The leaves show a remarkable range of colors in the beautifully blended variegation. 35 cts. each; 12 for \$3.50, postpaid.

## 5061 CALLA ETHIOPICA

This is the ever-popular and well-known white Calla. Easy of culture, its wonderfully beautiful pure white blossoms are very pretty as pot-plants or for cut-flowers. 25 cts. each; 6 for \$1.25, postpaid.

## 5062 CALLA ELLIOTTIANA

Beautiful pure golden-yellow flowers, four to five inches broad. The leaves are attractively marked with white spots. 35 cts. each; 6 for \$1.75, postpaid.

## 5118 CINNAMON VINE (*Dioscorea Batatas*)

Hardy climber with dark-green foliage, and bearing a profusion of small white flowers of delicious fragrance. A very desirable, rapid-growing vine for porches and trellises.

10 cts. each; 12 for \$1.00; 100 for \$7.50, postpaid.

## 5117 COOPERIA PEDUNCULATA (Evening Star)

A lovely white-flowering bulbous plant opening its flowers in the evening. It is a native of Texas. Plant in the open ground early in the spring in clumps of 25 or more bulbs; set about six inches apart each way.

10 cts. each; 12 for \$1.00, postpaid.

## 5562 DICENTRA SPECTABILIS (Bleeding Heart)

Very pretty pink and white heart-shaped flowers during May. Two feet tall.

50 cts. each; 6 for \$2.50, postpaid.

## 5272 FUNKIA UNDULATA VARIEGATA

(Variegated Day Lily)

Attractive green leaves with a fine white border. Light lilac flowers during August. Two feet tall.

30 cts. each; 6 for \$1.50, postpaid.

## Gloxinias

This beautiful tropical flower is easily grown for flowering in pots during the summer. The flowers are rich and varied as to color, and always call forth the admiration of visitors to FORDHOOK FARMS during the late summer months. Plants from bulbs will come into bloom more quickly than from seed.

### 5332 WHITE

### 5333 FLESH, DEEP PINK BORDER

### 5334 SCARLET, WHITE BORDER

### 5335 CRIMSON

### 5336 PURPLE, WHITE BORDER

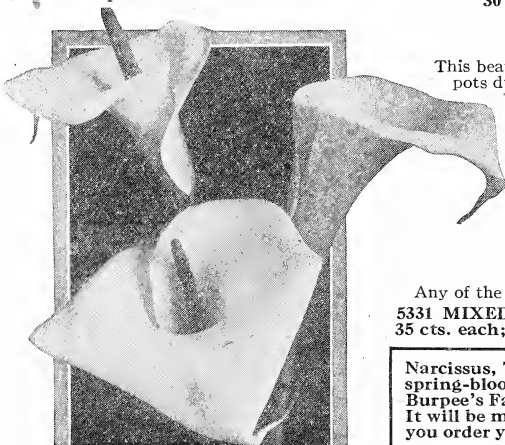
### 5337 PURPLE

Any of the above: 40 cts. each; 6 for \$2.00, postpaid.

## 5331 MIXED

35 cts. each; 6 for \$1.75, postpaid.

Narcissus, Tulips, Hyacinths and Crocus are winter- and spring-blooming bulbs and should be planted in the fall. Burpee's Fall Bulb Catalog will be ready next September. It will be mailed to you free. Better ask for a copy when you order your seeds and bulbs for spring planting.



# Hemerocallis

## 5340 FLAVA (LEMON LILY)

Deep lemon-yellow flowers, blooming during June and July. Two to three feet high. 20 cts.; 6 for \$1.00, postpaid.

## 5344 FLORHAM

Rich golden-yellow flowers during summer. Three to four feet tall. 20 cts. each; 6 for \$1.00, postpaid.

# Hibiscus

## 5584 GIANT MALLOW MARVELS

Red, pink, and white shades mixed. A very pretty perennial, blooming from July to September. Five to seven feet tall. 18 cts. each; 6 for 90 cts., postpaid.

## 5349 Hyacinthus Candicans

A stately bulbous plant, with large, Yucca-like leaves, growing four feet high. The flowers are pure white, pendent on long, whip-like stalks; strong bulbs will produce two or more spikes; the flowers number from 20 to 60 on each spike. The appearance is *more like giant Snowdrops than Hyacinths*. For distant effect it vies with *Yucca filamentosa*. At FORDHOOK the plant is perfectly hardy, and grows stronger each year. 15 cts. each; 6 for 75 cts., postpaid.

# Bearded Iris

(Iris Germanica and Others)

## 5365 FLORENTINA ALBA

Very large, silvery white flowers, sometimes tinted lavender. Very early and fragrant. 2 feet tall.

## 5366 MRS. H. DARWIN

Pure white, falls, veined violet. The best midseason white. 2 feet tall.

## 5367 FLAVESCENS

Rich, creamy yellow, throat veined chocolate. A midseason variety of free blooming habit. 30 inches tall.

## 5368 AUREA

Chrome-yellow. A free midseason bloomer. 24 inches.

## 5369 QUEEN OF THE MAY

The best all-around pink Iris. Midseason. 32 inches.

## 5370 SPECIOSA

Standards rosy-claret, falls claret red. Very distinct and beautiful. 36 inches.

## 5371 MME. CHEREAU

Flowers snow white, with blue frilled edges. 32 inches.

## 5372 PALLIDA DALMATICA

The king of all irises. Enormous blue flowers tinted violet. 40 inches.

## 5373 CELESTE

A uniform sky-blue. One of the best late ones. 30 inches.

## 5374 KOCHII

Dark claret-purple, buds black. Very early and free blooming. 24 inches.

## 5376 RHEIN NIXE

Broad white standards and extra-large plum-purple falls with a broad border of white. Late. 36 inches.

## 5377 DARIUS

Standards light yellow, falls pansy-purple, with a broad border of gold. 24 inches.

Any of the above: 20 cts. each; 12 for \$2.00, postpaid.

## 5386 BEARDED IRIS, MIXED

12 cts. each; 12 for \$1.20; 100 for \$8.00, postpaid.

# Japanese Iris (Iris Kaempferi)

## 5387 DISTINCTION

Flowers of large size, beautiful form, and heavy substance. Lovely lilac-pink.

## 5388 GOLD BOUND

The most beautiful of all Japanese Iris. Pure snow white, with large, gold-banded center.

## 5389 MOUNT HOOD

Light blue shaded with deeper blue.

## 5390 PYRAMID

Light violet-blue with delicate veins.

Any of the above: 30 cts. each; 6 for \$1.50, postpaid.

## 5392 JAPANESE IRIS, SEEDLINGS MIXED

20 cts. each; 12 for \$2.00; 100 for \$12.00, postpaid.

# Siberian Iris (Iris Sibirica)

A dwarf class. The flowers are borne in clusters on slender stems and make excellent cut-flowers.

## 5393 WHITE

A beautiful snow-white variety.

Either of the Siberian Iris: 20 cts. each; 12 for \$2.00, postpaid.

## 5394 PURPLE

Rich purple flowers.



Hemerocallis  
Flava



Bearded Iris or Fleur-de-lis

# Hardy Lilies

The varieties of Lilies offered below are easy to grow, and being entirely hardy, continue to bloom more profusely each year. Plant six inches deep.

**5396 AURATUM (Golden Banded Lily of Japan)**  
39 cts. each; 3 for 80 cts., postpaid.

**5398 DAVURICUM**  
Orange, spotted brown, yellow throat. 15-18 inches.  
25 cts. each; 3 for 65 cts., postpaid.

**5399 LONGIFLORUM GIGANTEUM**  
(Bermuda Easter Lily)  
Beautiful snow-white, trumpet-shaped flowers.  
50 cts. each; 3 for \$1.35, postpaid.

**5400 TENUIFOLIUM (Coral Lily)**  
Brilliant coral red with finely cut foliage.  
15 cts. each; 6 for 75 cts., postpaid.

**5402 SPECIOSUM RUBRUM**  
White, shaded with deep rose. Very beautiful.  
35 cts. each; 3 for 95 cts., postpaid.

**5404 TIGRINUM FORTUNEI GIGANTEUM**  
Tiger Lily; orange salmon marked with black.  
20 cts. each; 6 for \$1.00, postpaid.

**5406 REGALE (Myriophyllum)**  
The Regal Lily. The most beautiful and striking of all. Flowers white, slightly suffused pink, with a canary-yellow center. Delightfully perfumed.  
\$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.00, postpaid.

**5590 BATEMANNIÆ (Turk's Cap)**  
Bright apricot-tinted flowers.  
25 cts. each; 3 for 65 cts., postpaid.

**5591 CANADENSE (Canadian Lily)**  
Flowers vary from bright yellow to pale red, spotted purple. 2 to 3 feet.  
25 cts. each; 3 for 65 cts., postpaid.

**5592 SUPERBUM (Swamp Lily)**  
Orange spotted brown. 5-10 feet. Likes shaded nooks.  
25 cts. each; 3 for 65 cts., postpaid.

**5594 TIGRINUM FLORE PLENO**  
(Double Tiger Lily)  
Double flowers, orange red, spotted carmine.  
25 cts. each; 3 for 65 cts., postpaid.

**5599 SPECIOSUM MELPOMENE**  
Deep crimson flowers heavily spotted chocolate.  
35 cts. each; 3 for 95 cts., postpaid.

## 5356 Ismene Calathena

Beautiful amaryllis-like flowers of snowy whiteness and deliciously fragrant, each bulb producing in four to six weeks after planting a flower-stem crowned by a cluster of blooms. Suitable for pot-culture or grown in the garden. 20 cts. each; 6 for \$1.00, postpaid.

## 5411 Lily of the Valley

We offer strong, field-grown clumps of this ever-popular old favorite. These clumps must not be confused with the Lily of the Valley pips that are used for forcing by florists. These clumps are intended for garden growing and will give immediate effect.  
40 cts. each; 6 for \$2.00, postpaid.

## 5418 Madeira Vine

A rapid-growing climber, bearing graceful racemes of fragrant white flowers; of great value for covering porches and arbors.  
15 cts. each; 6 for 75 cts., postpaid.

## Montbretias

Half-hardy Mexican plants, which bloom abundantly from midsummer until frost, and are most popular for cutting. Flower-spikes are two feet in height, and flowers are very showy, with their bright shades of glowing colors. Should be grown in masses or groups. In full flower from July until October.

**5424 BOUQUET PARFAIT**  
Petals yellow at base shading to vermilion on tips.

**5428 STAR OF FIRE**  
Bright scarlet with clear yellow throat, outside of petals red.

**5429 SUNBEAM**  
Golden yellow shaded with orange on the outside of petals.  
Any of the above: 15 cts. each; 6 for 75 cts., postpaid.

**5435 MONTBRETIAS, MIXED**  
10 cts. each; 12 for \$1.00, postpaid.

## Summer-Flowering Oxalis

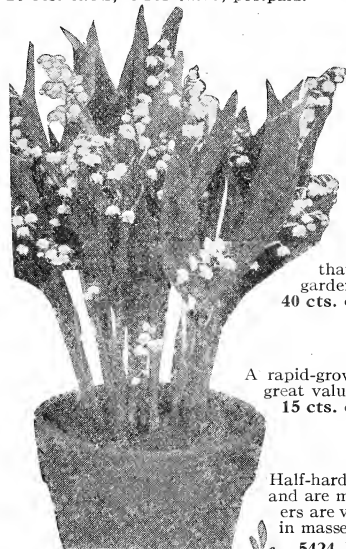
Useful little border plants, growing from ten to twelve inches tall. They are desirable also for pot culture and for hanging-baskets, vases, etc. If planted in the flower-bed, they should be taken up in the fall and carefully dried, but when grown in pots, they can be set in the cellar and reotted in the spring.

**5446 DIEPPI**  
Clusters of pure white, bell-like flowers.

**5447 LASANDRIA**  
Somewhat taller than *Dieppi*, with clusters of rose-pink flowers.

**5448 SHAMROCK (Dieppi Rosea)**  
Takes its popular name from the foliage. The flowers are bright rose in color.  
The above: 12 for 25 cts.; 100 for \$1.50, postpaid.

Our Leaflet, "How to Grow Flowers from Bulbs," will be sent free. Ask for it when ordering your bulbs.



Lily of the Valley

Montbretias



# Peonies for Spring Planting

Recognizing the increasing popularity and importance of Peonies, we are offering below a number of varieties that have proved themselves highly desirable in all sections of the country.

## Early

### 5619 FESTIVA MAXIMA

Pure white, with the center flecked crimson.

### 5629 MONS. JULES ELIE

Pale lilac-rose with a silvery reflex.

### 5635 UMBELLATA ROSEA

Beautiful large, light pink flowers.

### 5617 EDULIS SUPERBA

Bright deep rose-pink. Very fragrant.

Any of the above: **40 cts. each; 6 for \$2.00**, postpaid.

## Midseason

### 5615 DUCHESSE DE NEMOURS

A fine yellow fading to white.

### 5637 VENUS

Attractive light pink flowers of good size.

### 5618 FELIX CROUSSE

Large globular flowers, dazzling ruby red.

Any of the above: **65 cts. each; 6 for \$3.25**.

## Late

### 5612 COURONNE D'OR

Immense well-shaped, pure white flowers.

### 5622 L'INDISPENSABLE

A huge ball of delicate baby pink.

### 5630 RUBRA SUPERBA

Fine, rich red flowers of good form.

Any of the above: **85 cts. each; 6 for \$4.25**, postpaid.

**COLLECTION P. T.**—Ten Peonies, one each of the above, carefully labeled, and our leaflet on Peonies, mailed to any address for **\$4.50**, postpaid.

## Hardy Phlox

Beautiful and of unusual value, thriving in any position and well adapted for massing. The long blooming period, from July to October, and the fine colors make this an important perennial.

### 5641 ELIZABETH CAMPBELL

Rich salmon pink. 2 feet high.

### 5643 EUROPA

Magnificent white with crimson eye. 3 feet high.

### 5645 R. P. STRUTHERS

Bright rosy carmine flowers. 3 to 4 feet high.

Any of the above: **15 cts. each; 6 for 75 cts.**, postpaid.

### 5652 MRS. WM. JENKINS

A pure snow-white variety. 3 feet high.

### 5655 RYNSTROM

Carmine rose, blooming from July on. 3 feet high.

### 5657 W. C. EGAN

Dainty soft pink flowers. Over 2 feet high.

## Ranunculus

Every one knows and admires the Ranunculus. They are effective bedding plants of most vigorous growth, producing the beautiful brilliant colored flowers in rich profusion during the months of May and June.

### 5459 FRENCH RANUNCULUS, MIXED

### 5460 PERSIAN RANUNCULUS, MIXED

### 5461 TURKISH RANUNCULUS, MIXED

Any of the above: **6 for 25 cts.; 50 for \$1.50**, postpaid.

## Tritoma

### 5486 TRITOMA PFITZERI, OR EVERBLOOMING RED-HOT POKER PLANT

Grows from four to six feet high. The flower measures twelve to fifteen inches long by four inches in diameter. They are a dazzling scarlet, lower half of flower tinged with rich orange. A clump makes a striking show. The roots, if given a mulch of long manure or leaves *during winter*, will live safely from year to year. **35 cts. each; 5 for \$2.75**, postpaid.

### 5487 TRITOMA, EARLY PERPETUAL-FLOWERING

Although this superb new type will flower from seed the first year, we have grown at FORDHOOK FARMS a supply of strong roots, anticipating a demand from planters who would not care to sow seed.

**35 cts. each; 6 for \$2.75**, postpaid.

## Tuberose

### 5492 EXCELSIOR PEARL

The Excelsior strain of DWARF PEARL TUBEROSE has been improved in dwarf habit of growth, extreme doubleness of the large flowers, and in very early flowering. The stems being dwarf and stiffly erect, do not need to be staked and tied as the tall sorts. **10 cts. each; 12 for \$1.00; 50 for \$3.50**, postpaid.

### 5493 EXCELSIOR PEARL, LARGE

Large size roots of this beautiful strain. **15 cts. each; 12 for \$1.50; 50 for \$5.00**, postpaid.

### 5491 ALBINO

A choice selection of the early-flowering type. Tall flower-spikes with large, single white blooms. **15 cts. each; 12 for \$1.50; 50 for \$5.00**, postpaid.

## 5700 Yucca Filamentosa (Adam's Needle)

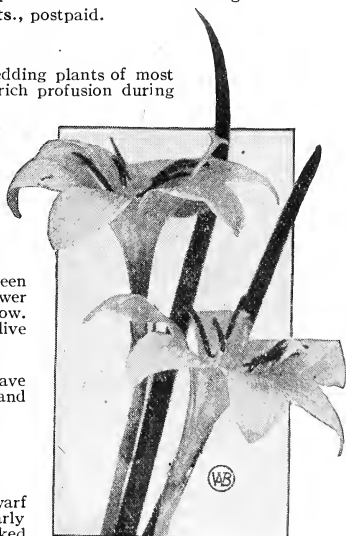
Magnificent flower-spikes, five to six feet tall, closely set on its branches with large, creamy-white, bell-shaped flowers. **35 cts. each; 6 for \$1.75**, postpaid.

## Zephyranthes (Fairy Lilies)

They are easily grown, producing plentifully all summer the beautiful, lily-like flowers. The best way is to plant several bulbs in a box or flower-pot, as they can then be taken into the cellar during winter. They can be planted also in the open ground in the spring and lifted in the fall, in the same manner as Gladioli.

**5505 CANDIDA.** Pure white, lily-like flowers. **8 cts. each; 6 for 40 cts.**, postpaid.

**5506 ROSEA.** The large flowers are star-shaped and of a soft rose-pink. **15 cts. each; 6 for 75 cts.**, postpaid.



Zephyranthes



# Gladioli, Burpee's Fordhook Hybrids

Single Spike of  
Fordhook Hybrids



Fordhook Hybrids have created a sensation wherever shown. They have set the Gladiolus world talking and marveling at their unequalled beauty. Amateur and professional alike agree that this distinct new race is unique in habit, size of flower, rare colors, shading, and marking.

The judges of the Chrysanthemum Show of THE PENNSYLVANIA HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY, held at Horticultural Hall, Philadelphia, November 3 to 6, 1914, were particularly impressed with our display of FORDHOOK HYBRID GLADIOLI. They unanimously awarded us the SILVER MEDAL—the highest possible award.

At the Annual Exhibit of The Ohio Gladiolus Society, held in Cleveland, Ohio, August 13 and 14, 1915, our exhibit of FORDHOOK HYBRIDS was the center of attraction, and in addition to a Certificate of Merit was given a letter of Special Mention.

At the Newport Show, August 18, 1915, FORDHOOK HYBRIDS were given *Honorable Mention*.

This distinct strain originated at FORDHOOK from numerous crosses of the new *Præcox Gladioli* with the best varieties of *Gandavensis*, *Childsi*, *Nancelianus*, *Lemoine*, and other types. As a result, there has been evolved a new race of rare beauty. The flowers frequently measure four to five inches in diameter, and range in color from creamy white, lemon, clear yellow, soft salmon-pink, to bright red and deepest crimson, while there are also lovely light lavender or sky-blue shades. There are charming rare "pastel" and art shades in wonderful combinations of rose, pink, salmon, and amber.

9 cts. each; 3 for 25 cts.; 12 for 90 cts.; 50 for \$3.25; 100 for \$6.00, postpaid.

By express, 100 for \$5.25; 1000 for \$50.00.

## 5315 CHILDSI, FINEST MIXED

The stems grow tall and erect, frequently four to five feet in height, with enormous spikes of flowers and the most distinct and showy colorings. The throat of the individual flowers is invariably delicately penciled or flaked, in some varieties measuring seven to nine inches across the spreading petals.

3 for 25 cts.; 12 for 70 cts.; 50 for \$2.35; 100 for \$4.50, postpaid. By express, 100 for \$4.00; 1000 for \$37.50.

## 5319 GROFF'S HYBRIDS

The mixture is made up from the original and later introductions of Mr. Groff. The widest range of color possible, including shades of lilac, lavender, and clematis. Also pink, red, scarlet, crimson, and cerise shades of the highest quality.

The white, light, and yellow shades are of the purest colors obtainable, relieved in many varieties by stains and blotches of most intense and decided contrast. The flowers are of the largest size and of good substance. (See illustration, from a photograph.) 3 for 20 cts.; 12 for 70 cts.; 50 for \$2.35; 100 for \$4.50, postpaid. By express, 100 for \$4.00; 1000 for \$37.50.

## 5321 LIGHT SHADES IN SPLENDID MIXTURE

Many planters prefer a mixture with the darker shades eliminated. We grow, therefore, a superb mixture of the best varieties running through shades of rose, pink, salmon, yellow, white, and the intermediate light shades.

3 for 20 cts.; 12 for 70 cts.; 50 for \$2.35; 100 for \$4.50, postpaid. By express, 100 for \$4.00; 1000 for \$37.50.

## Fine Mixed Gladioli

This mixture is composed of a splendid assortment of standard varieties grown in a well-balanced mixture. We recommend those wishing an ample supply to plant a number of bulbs at intervals of two weeks or more apart during the spring months.

### 5316 FIRST-SIZE BULBS

Sure to flower, in extra-fine mixture.

3 for 15 cts.; 12 for 55 cts.; 50 for \$2.00; 100 for \$3.50, postpaid. By express, 100 for \$3.25; 1000 for \$30.00.

### 5317 SECOND-SIZE BULBS

These will flower the first summer if planted early.

3 for 10 cts.; 12 for 40 cts.; 50 for \$1.50; 100 for \$2.50, postpaid. By express, 100 for \$2.35; 1000 for \$20.00.



Groff's Hybrids

# GLADIOLI

Every flower-garden, however small, should contain some Gladioli. They are unusually well fitted as a flower for all purposes. They make attractive displays either planted in masses or set in bunches of three or four amid beds of perennials and annuals. As cut-flowers they last remarkably long in water and develop perfect flowers from every bud on the spike.

## 5275 AMERICA

The flower-spikes are two to three feet long, closely set with large open blooms, all facing one way. The color of the flowers is a beautiful, soft lavender-pink.  
10 cts. each; 12 for 75 cts., postpaid.

## 5277 BARON HULOT

Flowers of a rare, dark violet; of medium size, closely set on a strong spike.  
15 cts. each; 12 for \$1.25, postpaid.

## 5281 HALLEY

An extra-early bloomer with well-formed flowers of an attractive delicate rose, with white blotch.  
10 cts. each; 12 for 85 cts., postpaid.

## 5282 KUNDERDI GLORY

Flowers of large size; cream-pink with a neat crimson stripe. Each flower-petal is exquisitely ruffled and fluted.  
15 cts. each; 12 for \$1.25, postpaid.

## 5283 MRS. FRANCIS KING

A very strong grower with large blooms of a pleasing, light scarlet. 10 cts. each; 12 for 75 cts., postpaid.

## 5305 MRS. FRANK PENDLETON, JR.

Very large and well-expanded flowers of a lovely salmon-pink with deep blood-red blotches in the throat.  
15 cts. each; 12 for \$1.50, postpaid.

## 5285 MRS. WATT

An unusual, clear wine-red shade. Flowers large and bold, borne on a stocky spike.  
10 cts. each; 12 for \$1.00, postpaid.

## 5287 NIAGARA

A delightful cream shade, blending to canary-yellow on the lower petals. 15 cts. each; 12 for \$1.25, postpaid.

## 5307 PANAMA

A deep lavender-pink of largest size, with long and strong flower-spikes.  
15 cts. each; 12 for \$1.25, postpaid.

## 5309 PEACE

Beautiful white flowers with pale lilac penciling on the two lower petals. An exceptionally fine flower, borne on strong, heavy stems.  
15 cts. each; 12 for \$1.10, postpaid.

## 5289 PRINCEPS

Rich crimson with deeper shading in the throat and contrasting white blotches on the lower petals.  
15 cts. each; 12 for \$1.50, postpaid.

## 5300 SCHWABEN

Magnificent flowers of delicate pale yellow with a dark blotch in center. One of the finest and largest of all yellows. 20 cts. each; 12 for \$1.65, postpaid.

**COLLECTION G. T.** contains one bulb each of the above-named 12 beautiful Gladioli, each distinctly labeled. Sent by parcel-post postpaid to any address for \$1.00.

## Burpee's New Primulinus Hybrids

The most graceful in form, artistic in color, and profuse in bloom of all Gladioli

This species of Gladiolus has received much attention during recent years and has created a sensation wherever it was exhibited. The blooms are distinct and superior to the older types in their pleasing form and arrangement. Although the individual flowers are not large, they carry an air of grace altogether different from the more or less stiff effect of other Gladioli. Furthermore, these hybrids produce three and sometimes four fully developed flower-spikes from a single bulb planted in the spring. In color they range through the usual Gladioli shades, with the addition of rich golden-yellow and orange.

## 5324 ADA

Dainty white flowers with red center; blooming very early in the year and forming three to four flower-spikes to one bulb.

30 cts. each; 12 for \$3.00, postpaid.

## 5328 FIRE QUEEN

Dazzling orange-vermilion with delicate yellow in the throat. A wonderful bedding variety, blooming in midseason, with flower-spikes from three to four feet high. 25 cts. each; 12 for \$2.50, postpaid.

## 5327 L'UNIQUE

A wonderful combination of color. Flowers rich bronze with orange-yellow center. Blooms freely over a long period. Of strong growth, forming from three to four spikes to a bulb.

25 cts. each; 12 for \$2.50, postpaid.

## 5326 MRS. GRULEMANN'S

A very early and continuous bloomer. Clear, true yellow flowers artistically displayed on a good stem. Three to four flower-spikes to one bulb.

25 cts. each; 12 for \$2.50, postpaid.

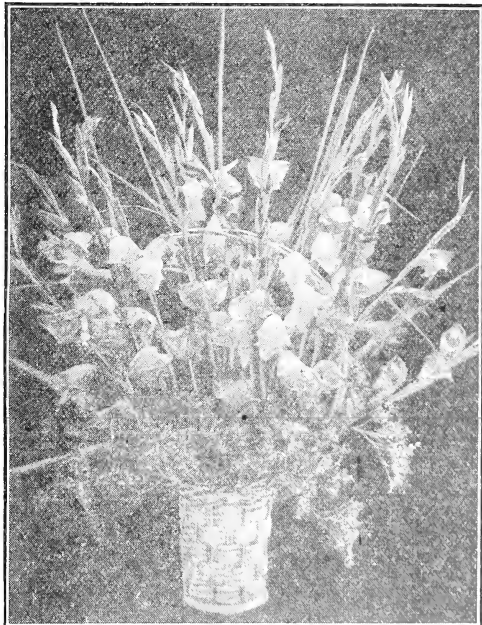
## 5325 QUEEN VICTORIA

The petals are glittering bright pink shading into silvery rose in the throat. Flowers of largest size and wonderfully shaped. Blooms very early and produces from four to five flowers on each bulb.

30 cts. each; 12 for \$3.00, postpaid.

## 5329 VIOLET QUEEN

Velvety violet, beginning to bloom very early in the season, with three or four spikes to each bulb. The flowers are well shaped, carried on strong stems. 35 cts. each; 12 for \$3.00, postpaid.



Primulinus Hybrids

**COLLECTION G. P. H.** One bulb of each of the above Six Primulinus Hybrids, introduced by us this year, each bulb carefully labeled. Mailed to any address, postpaid, for \$1.50.

## 5323 PRIMULINUS HYBRIDS, MIXED

A fine mixture with a wealth of the typical golden yellow, lemon-yellow, and orange shades of this species, in addition to the creams, pinks, and scarlets. 10 cts. each; 12 for 75 cts.; 100 for \$5.50, postpaid.

# Two New Peony-Flowered Dahlias from Fordhook Farms

## 5213 Golden Rose (Burpee Novelty for 1920)

An attractive shade of yellow suffused rose, each petal having a distinct plicate edge of rose. Distinct and pleasing. A free and continuous bloomer, with flowers carried on long stiff stems above the healthy and robust foliage.

Strong roots, 75 cts. each, postpaid.

## 5218 Lilac Queen (Burpee Novelty for 1920)

A charming novelty with blooms of a delicate lilac shaded white, base of the petals suffused with bright yellow. Magnificent large flowers gracefully held above the foliage by long and strong stems. Strong roots, 75 cts. each, postpaid.

## Other Superb Fordhook Peony-Flowered Dahlias

### 5197 MRS. G. W. KERR

Rich reddish plum changing to a beautiful crimson as the flower expands fully. Each petal is exquisitely tipped with light lavender. 60 cts. each; 3 for \$1.50, postpaid.

### 5198 MRS. HUGH DICKSON

A most appealing shade of exquisite rich salmon suffused with light buff pink. 35 cts. each; 3 for 90 cts., postpaid.

### 5199 MRS. W. E. WHINERAY

Large flowers of a beautiful rose, suffused clear yellow deepening at the base of the petals. 35 cts. each; 3 for 90 cts., postpaid.

### 5200 FORDHOOK WHITE

Most magnificent pure white flowers of giant size borne continuously on long stems well above all foliage. 50 cts. each; 3 for \$1.25, postpaid.

### 5201 FORDHOOK BEAUTY

An outstanding shade of bronzy red, delicately suffused with salmon and yellow. 50 cts. each; 3 for \$1.25, postpaid.

Golden Rose

### 5202 MME. VON BYSTEIN

Large, elegantly formed blooms. Soft mauve shading lighter toward the outer edges of the petals. 35 cts. each; 3 for 90 cts., postpaid.

### 5203 THE BRIDE

White with a blush suffusion toward the center, with the petals much twisted and gracefully curved over the center. 35 cts. each; 3 for 90 cts., postpaid.

### 5206 FORDHOOK CREAM

A soft tint of cream with yellow suffusion, particularly along the center of the inner petals. Of largest size. 50 cts. each; 3 for \$1.25, postpaid.

### 5207 FORDHOOK SALMON

Color a lovely shade of salmon with yellow and amber suffusion. 50 cts. each; 3 for \$1.25, postpaid.

### 5210 MRS. JOHN GRIBBEL

Light salmon pink, heavily flushed amber and yellow. 50 cts. each; 3 for \$1.25, postpaid.

### 5211 JOHN D. ROCKEFELLER

Salmon buff with a pinkish hue. The reverse of the petals is reddish salmon. Very early and free flowering. 35 cts. each; 3 for 90 cts., postpaid.

### 5212 HORTULANUS BUDDE

Striking orange-scarlet, shading lighter toward the edges of the petals. The entire flower has a bronzy, glistening sheen suggesting the description of coppery red. 50 cts. each; 3 for \$1.25, postpaid.

### 5214 BARON G. DE GRANCY

A flower of excellent type, perfect form and purity of color. The blooms are borne profusely upon long, graceful stems. A waxy, almost glistening pure white. 30 cts. each; 3 for 75 cts., postpaid.

### 5215 CECILIA

Very large and free flowering. Opening as a lemon yellow and gradually changing to a creamy white with a yellow sheen. 60 cts. each; 3 for \$1.50, postpaid.

### 5216 H. J. LOVINK

Flowers large and carried on exceptionally long stems. A delicate combination of white blended with lilac. 35 cts. each; 3 for 90 cts., postpaid.

**For \$5.00**

We will mail one strong root of each of the above fifteen Fordhook-grown Peony-flowered Dahlias. For beauty and range of color this collection cannot be surpassed. In ordering, specify Set D.F.P.

5270 PEONY-FLOWERED DAHLIAS IN MIXTURE. 15 cts. each; 8 for \$1.00, postpaid.

## New Cosmos-Flowered Dahlia

### 5120 WHITE STAR

The Cosmos-flowered type produces flowers of medium size, with one to three rows of broad outer petals and a golden yellow center. WHITE STAR is most floriferous and gracefully carries the pure white flowers on long wiry stems. Excellent for garden or cutting. 50 cts. each; 3 for \$1.25, postpaid.

## Sensational New Decorative Dahlia

### 5177 Jean Kerr (Burpee)

The most valuable of all white Decorative Dahlias. Let the weather be as it may, and no other Dahlia blooming, JEAN KERR will be a mass of flowers. It is one of the first to flower and blooms continuously until killed by frost. In type it is a short-petaled decorative, and by some may be termed a Show or Ball Dahlia. Its outstanding merit is due to the fact that it never fails to flower freely. A pure white bloom, carried gracefully on long and strong stem well above the foliage. A foremost variety for cut-flowers, but just as important as a garden variety, due to its compact strong growth and free flowering habit. Awarded Certificate of Merit by the American Dahlia Society, September, 1916. Strong roots, 60 cts. each; 3 for \$1.50, postpaid.

## Twelve Beautiful Decorative Dahlias

- 5179 CROWN OF GOLD. Rich orange-scarlet, edged gold. 40 cts. each; 3 for \$1.00, postpaid.  
 5181 GOLDMINE. Pure golden yellow. Very early and free bloomer. 50 cts. each; 3 for \$1.25, postpaid.  
 5182 LYNTHURST. White suffused shrimp pink. 20 cts. each; 3 for 50 cts., postpaid.  
 5187 PERLE DE LYON. Splendid pure white. 25 cts. each; 3 for 50 cts., postpaid.  
 5189 ORANGE BEAUTY. Superb deep rich orange. 50 cts. each; 3 for \$1.25, postpaid.  
 5204 HORTULANUS FIET. Rich salmon suffused amber and yellow. 50 cts. each; 3 for \$1.25, postpaid.  
 5205 YELLOW GIANT. Rich, buttery yellow. 35 cts. each; 3 for 90 cts., postpaid.  
 5230 MINNIE McCULLOUGH. Soft golden yellow, tipped bronzy red. 20 cts. each; 3 for 50 cts., postpaid.  
 5250 JOHN WANAMAKER. Beautiful lavender pink. 35 cts. each; 3 for 90 cts., postpaid.  
 5251 MRS. C. H. BRECK. Soft yellow, suffused carmine. 50 cts. each; 3 for \$1.25, postpaid.  
 5252 MINNIE BURGLE. The best red Dahlia in the world. 35 cts. each; 3 for 90 cts., postpaid.  
 5254 MELODY. Canary yellow with creamy white tips. 25 cts. each; 3 for 60 cts., postpaid.

**For \$3.25** We will mail one strong root of each of the above Twelve Beautiful Decorative Dahlias. When ordering, specify Set D. D.

## Fordhook-Grown Exhibition Cactus Dahlias

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| 5121 BASILISK. Beautiful orange-scarlet.          | 5123 CORONET. Deep orange with yellow base.      |
| 5122 BEAUPORT BEAUTY. Buff, suffused amber.       | 5126 EDITH CARTER. Yellow, suffused carmine.     |
| 5124 DOLLY. Crimson-scarlet, tips pure white.     | 5127 E. F. HAWES. A charming clear salmon pink.  |
| 5125 DOROTHY HAWES. Large, clear, rosy purple.    | 5129 GLORY OF WILTS. One of the best yellows.    |
| 5128 EMPRESS. Striking purplish crimson.          | 5130 F. W. FELLOWS. Rich orange-scarlet.         |
| 5131 GRAPHIC. Very dark purple, tipped white.     | 5134 HOMER. Rich bright maroon.                  |
| 5132 GWENDOLINE TUCKER. Pale flesh-pink.          | 5135 INDOMITABLE. Lilac mauve with lighter tips. |
| 5133 H. L. BROUSSON. Rich rose with white center. | 5146 JENNY WREN. Yellow overlaid with pink.      |
| 5145 IRRESISTIBLE. Yellow, suffused pale rose.    | 5147 JOHN RIDING. Deep, rich crimson.            |
| 5151 NANTWICH. Light bronzy orange.               | 5148 MILTON HOWARD. Pink, tipped white.          |
| 5153 SOVEREIGNTY. Long, pure yellow florets.      | 5149 MISS LONDON. Deep rose, tinged yellow.      |
| 5154 MODEL. Soft yellow, shading to pink.         | 5150 MRS. HENRY RANDLE. Rose, suffused cream.    |
|   | 5152 THE QUAKER. White, suffused flesh pink.     |

Any of the above, 25 cts. each; 3 for 60 cts., postpaid.

Any of the above, 50 cts. each; 3 for \$1.25, postpaid.

**For \$6.00** We will mail one strong root of each of the above 25 Exhibition Cactus Dahlias. This is a collection of which any grower, amateur or professional, may well be proud. When ordering, specify Set D. E. C.

## Twelve Fine Cactus Dahlias

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|---|---|---|
| 5155 CANDEUR<br>Large white. Early and profuse. | 5163 FLORID<br>Bright scarlet.                              | 5167 LIBELLE<br>Beautifully formed, dark purple.                  |
| 5158 CELIA<br>Rich pink, a fine free bloomer.   | 5164 GOLDFIELD<br>Clear, light canary yellow.               | 5156 MARJORIE CASTLETON<br>Soft rosy pink, lighter toward center. |
| 5160 DAINY<br>Yellow, shaded salmon and pink.   | 5165 GOLDEN EAGLE<br>Bright yellow, suffused rose and fawn. | 5174 REINE CAYEUX<br>Rich glowing red.                            |
| 5160 EXCELSIOR<br>Rich velvety maroon.          | 5166 LAWINE<br>White, suffused blush.                       | 5175 SUCCESS<br>Clear yellow, long pointed petals.                |

Any of the above Twelve Cactus Dahlias, 25 cts. each; 3 for 60 cts., postpaid.

**For \$2.25** We will send, postpaid, one strong root of each of the above 12 fine garden Cactus Dahlias. When ordering, specify Set D. C.

## Superb New Giant-Flowered Dahlias

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| 5239 AMERICAN BEAUTY (Show). Brilliant crimson-red. 50 cts. each; 3 for \$1.25, postpaid.   | 5255 MARY PICKFORD (Show). Flowers soft primrose shaded and tipped rose. 40 cts. each; 3 for \$1.00, postpaid.        |
| 5244 QUEEN ELIZABETH (Peony-flowered). Clear bright pink. 75 cts. each; 3 for \$1.75, postpaid.                                   | 5256 MARY PURRIER (Cactus). Giant flowers of a rich red, shading darker. 35 cts. each; 3 for 90 cts., postpaid.       |
| 5245 BREEZE LAWN (Decorative). A vivid vermilion. Claimed to surpass <i>Minnie Burgle</i> . 75 cts. each; 3 for \$1.75, postpaid. | 5144 WHITE SWAN (Show). Uniform ball-shaped flowers of large size. Pure white. 25 cts. each; 3 for 60 cts., postpaid. |
| 5247 DR. TYRRELL (Decorative). A rich golden bronze, shaded bronzy red at the base. 35 cts. each; 3 for 90 cts., postpaid.        | 5172 WODAN (Cactus). Large flowers of old gold, shading salmon rose at center. 50 cts. each; 3 for \$1.25, postpaid.  |
| 5248 GOLDEN GATE (Cactus). Rich deep golden yellow, suffused and shaded fawn. 50 cts. each; 3 for \$1.25, postpaid.               | 5192 YELLOW DUKE (Decorative). Giant flowers of a clear canary yellow. 25 cts. each; 3 for 60 cts., postpaid.         |

**For \$3.50** We will mail one strong root of each of the above 10 Giant Dahlias. When ordering, specify Set D. G. F.

5268 THE STRIKING COLLARETTE DAHLIA IN MIXTURE. A grand mixture of many named varieties and seedlings. 20 cts. each; 6 for \$1.00, postpaid.

5266 BURPEE'S TRIAL-GROUND MIXTURE OF DAHLIAS. 15 cts. each; 8 for \$1.00, postpaid. By express, at purchaser's expense, 12 cts. each; 12 for \$1.00; 100 for \$8.00.

# CANNAS

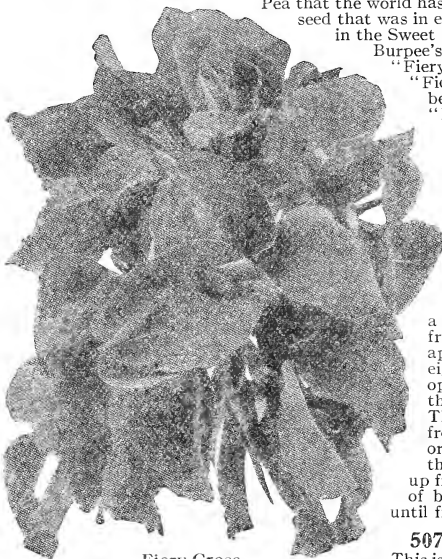
Cannas grow rapidly and luxuriantly. Their splendid foliage and beautiful blossoms give a gorgeous tropical effect from early summer until frost. The amateur is certain of success with Cannas, as they require but ordinary hoeing and weeding. Planted in beds of any form or shape, in rows or in the border, their rich foliage and showy blossoms well repay their care. They vary in height and are splendid for screen or hedge effects.

## "The Finest Five"

### 5111 BURPEE'S FIERY CROSS

The most gorgeous Giant Red Canna ever offered. First introduced by Burpee in 1918

Of the hundreds of new varieties of Sweet Peas that it has been our pleasure to introduce, none has ever become so popular as BURPEE'S "FIERY CROSS." This Sweet Pea bore the distinction of being the highest priced Sweet Pea that the world has ever known. We paid the introducer \$1.40 a seed for every seed that was in existence at that time. "Fiery Cross" has been the ultimate in the Sweet Pea world, and this fact is the thing that has led us to name Burpee's New Giant Canna "FIERY CROSS."



Fiery Cross

"Fiery Cross" in the Canna world stands for just as much as "Fiery Cross" in the Sweet Pea world. We could think of no better name than "FIERY CROSS" for this flaming red Canna. "Fiery Cross" Canna is in a class by itself. The famous "Firebird" Canna, which was also an extremely high-priced novelty, is one of the parent flowers, and in the fields of the originator "Fiery Cross" was known as Firebird Seedling No. 10. We were so greatly impressed with the tremendous size, the flaming brilliancy of its color, that we immediately purchased the entire stock, paying a very high price for same, and obtaining all of the stock then to be had, also the sole right to name and introduce.

Never before has there been a Canna of equal merit offered to the flower-lovers of this country. We feel sure that "Fiery Cross" will fill a place in the Canna beds that has never yet been attained by any red Canna. It grows to a height of four to four and one-half feet; flower-stems grow from a foot to eighteen inches taller, making the total height approximately five to six feet. The flower-heads are fifteen to eighteen inches in length and carry from fifteen to twenty open flowers of a vivid scarlet shading to crimson. So firm are the glistening petals that they do not wilt in the brightest sun. The foliage is a beautiful lustrous blue-green. It is entirely free from blight and diseases. The foliage in itself is extremely ornamental. "Fiery Cross" is most prolific, and if planted in the latitude of Pennsylvania, by the first of June it will throw up from five to ten stalks, each stalk producing a beautiful head of bloom. Flowers continuously from the latter part of June until frost. 50 cts. each; 12 for \$5.00, postpaid.

### 5075 CITY OF PORTLAND

This is the best pink Canna in existence. The flowers are of largest size, borne on heavy trusses, and bloom continuously. The color is a glowing shade of pink, much brighter and clearer than any other pink variety. It is a profuse bloomer and one of the best varieties for bedding. The foliage is substantial and strong, of rich green color and free from defects. Height, 3½ feet. 25 cts. each; 12 for \$2.50, postpaid.

### 5110 FAVORITE

This is the best yellow Canna, faintly spotted with red dots. The yellow is clear and intense, giving a mass the appearance of a pure golden yellow. The plants are robust and sturdy, with neat rich green foliage and heavy trusses bearing continuously. This variety cleans itself wonderfully well, and a bed of it looks always neat and well kept. Height, 4½ feet. 25 cts. each; 12 for \$2.50, postpaid.

### 5109 EUREKA

The best white Canna for all purposes. The large substantial flowers are produced freely and continuously on heavy, upright flower-trusses. A remarkably strong and healthy plant, with attractive and healthy green foliage. Height, 4 to 5 feet. 35 cts. each; 12 for \$3.50, postpaid.

### 5086 KING HUMBERT

This is the grandest Canna ever offered. The large, heart-shaped leaves are purple-madder-brown over bronze. The plants are crowned with immense heads of orchid-like flowers measuring from six to eight inches across; velvety orange-scarlet, rose-tinted and margined at the base; a combination of leaf and blossom incomparably beautiful; grows four to five feet high—the bedding Canna par excellence. 25 cts. each; 12 for \$2.50, postpaid.



King Humbert

**For \$1.25** we will mail one strong root of each of "The Finest Five" Cannas by parcel post to any address. Order COLLECTION C. F. for \$1.25, postpaid.

Canna roots cannot be left in the ground where the winters are cold. When digging them late in the fall it is best to leave a portion of the earth adhering to the roots until they are well ripened. Store them in a fairly warm room or cellar, keeping them in a box filled with dry soil. In planting out the following spring, the large clumps having several stalks or stems should be pulled apart and the divisions treated as separate plants.

# CANNAS

## Shades of Red (Green Foliage)

### 5076 DRAGON

A remarkably rich color, best described as deep ox-blood. Robust and free blooming. Height, 3 feet. 15 cts. each; 12 for \$1.50, postpaid.

### 5080 FIREBIRD

Is without question one of the most beautiful Cannas we have ever seen. Color pure scarlet, flowers enormous, borne on very large and compact trusses. Height, 3 to 3½ feet. 20 cts. each; 12 for \$1.20, postpaid.

### 5105 FANAL

An intense fiery vermilion-red of outstanding beauty. An ideal vigorous grower, producing a wealth of rich foliage crowned with large trusses of flowers. Height, 4 feet. 15 cts. each; 12 for \$1.50, postpaid.

### 5096 WINTZER'S COLOSSAL

Without doubt the largest-flowered Canna to date. The color is a striking vivid scarlet that retains its brilliancy over a long period. Height, 5 feet. 15 cts. each; 12 for \$1.50, postpaid.

### 5087 LAFAYETTE

Magnificent bedding variety with massive, erect flower-trusses of rich blood-red color. A strong grower and profuse bloomer. Height, 5 feet. 25 cts. each; 12 for \$2.50, postpaid.

## Yellow and Orange (Green Foliage)

### 5081 CLOTH OF GOLD

Pure golden-yellow flowers borne above contrasting green foliage. Of compact, bushy growth. Height, 3 feet. 15 cts. each; 12 for \$1.50, postpaid.

### 5103 ORANGE BEDDER

Particularly attractive bright orange, with just enough scarlet suffusion to intensify the whole to a dazzling mass. Undoubtedly the best orange in existence. Height, 4 feet. 15 cts. each; 12 for \$1.50, postpaid.

### 5113 THE GEM

Color a deep cream or straw yellow dotted with pale carmine. A vigorous and free-flowering variety with immense trusses of flowers borne above the healthy green foliage. Height, 4½ feet. 15 cts. each; 12 for \$1.50, postpaid.

### 5114 CHEERFULNESS

Beautiful deep orange with a golden border and carmine markings. Produced continuously in magnificent trusses. A cheerful color on a regal plant. Height, 3½ feet. 25 cts. each; 12 for \$2.50, postpaid.

## Rose and Pink (Green Foliage)

### 5115 BETSY ROSS

Bright rose-pink flowers borne well above contrasting green foliage. Valuable on account of its dwarf habit, which makes it a good border variety for the taller kinds. Height, 3 feet. 15 cts. each; 12 for \$1.50, postpaid.

### 5084 HUNGARIA

One of the best pinks, with magnificent rose-pink blossoms that catch the eye and insistently demand attention. Large, full trusses. Height, 3 to 3½ feet. 20 cts. each; 12 for \$2.00, postpaid.

### 5095 ROSEA GIGANTEA

Giant flowers of soft rose to carmine-pink. The largest-flowered pink Canna that we have ever seen. Height, 3½ feet. 25 cts. each; 12 for \$2.50, postpaid.

## Variegated (Green Foliage)

### 5090 SOUV. DE ANTOINE CROZY

An attractive rich red, enlivened with a broad border of golden yellow. Height, 3 feet. 15 cts. each; 12 for \$1.50, postpaid.

### 5102 UHLBERG

The flowers are soft rosy carmine with creamy yellow throats and crimped edges of pale yellow. Height, 3 feet. 15 cts. each; 12 for \$1.50, postpaid.

### 5094 GAITY

Scarlet-orange mottled with carmine and edged with clear yellow. The tongue is densely spotted with rich carmine. Strong grower and profuse bloomer. Height, 5 feet. 20 cts. each; 12 for \$2.00, postpaid.

## Bronze and Dark-Leaved Varieties

### 5116 VARONNA

Glowing orange-scarlet flower-trusses; of strong upright growth. The rich bronze foliage makes a fascinating contrast to the large and vivid flowers. Height, 4 feet. 30 cts. each; 12 for \$3.00, postpaid.

### 5099 WABASH

Bright carmine-pink flowers of large size and good substance, produced above the dark bronzy leaves. Height, 3½ feet. 20 cts. each; 12 for \$2.00, postpaid.

### 5073 BRANDYWINE

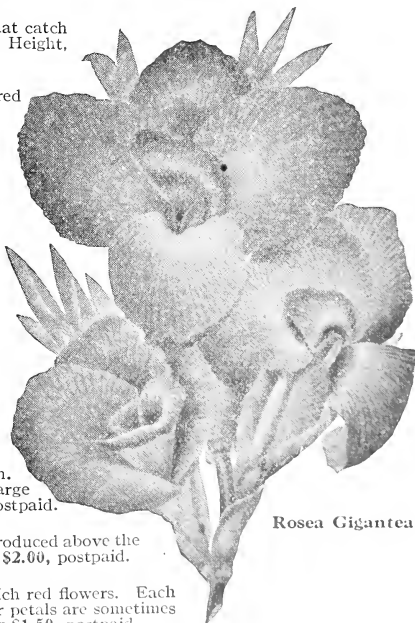
Luxuriant dark bronze foliage crowned by heavy trusses of rich red flowers. Each bloom is beautifully dappled with deep crimson, and the lower petals are sometimes edged with bright gold. Height, 4 feet. 15 cts. each; 12 for \$1.50, postpaid.

### 5098 WYOMING

Rich orange-colored blossoms, purple-bronze foliage. Height, 7 feet. 15 cts. each; 12 for \$1.50, postpaid.

### 5100 DR. E. ACKERKUSCHT

This beautiful Canna is of carmine-like tint, suffused with deep carmine. Handsome bronze foliage. Height, 4 feet. 15 cts. each; 12 for \$1.50, postpaid.



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